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The MARCH of the NATIONS

by RUFUS STEELE

Geneva Finds Arms Ideas Meet

French Air Office Is 'Bombed'

Britain Plans Free Port Areas

Washington Sees Relief Start

Moscow Publishes Peace Pact

THE Disarmament Conference builds up confidence in itself. Expressions by the first four major nations to speak prove that substance and sincerity are enriching sound debate. Statesmen begin to search each others' ideas for resemblances rather than differences. Great Britain, France, and the United States are seen as concurring in the thesis that lethal gases, microbic warfare, and the aerial bombing of civilian populations should be banned. Britain and America would banish aggressive weapons, and France would restrict them to the international police force it has proposed. Chancellor Bruening enthuses the conference and disappoints pessimistic prophets with a sane, considerate presentation of Germany's views. Among the delegates hope rises for the best of reasons—they are finding something to build on and a willingness to build.

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¶ France sees its airplane manufacturers set out to pancake the Air Ministry. Louis Bleriot, pioneer Channel flier and war machine builder, discharges his hundreds of employees and closes down his factory after many disagreements with officials. Other leading concerns in the industry join in declaring the Air Ministry's supervision and requirements have rendered French aircraft inefficient. The Chamber of Deputies, having often aired the disputes, is ready for a reorganization. M. Bleriot shows how bitter he is against the political directors—he shuts up shop to go into politics.

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¶ Britain has new experiences in taking up tariffs. Foreign and domestic wails continue, but are offset by such hopes as that tariffs may halt the increase of unemployment. Tariff laws involve the reexport trade of £64,000,000 a year. Thus free port areas will probably be established in London, Liverpool, and elsewhere to avoid a complication of duties. Apparently a nation may change from free trader to protectionist on short notice, but shifting over machinery entails patience and perspiration.

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¶ Washington sees President Hoover's reconstruction program making headway. President Charles G. Dawes issues instructions to banks and railroads on how assistance may be secured from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. Frank Knox, head of the anti-hoarding campaign, plans state organizations which are to restore faith by selling America to Americans. Dawes is to see that money goes rolling into places where it will do the most economic good, Knox is to rout out dusty dollars so there will be more money to roll.

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¶ Moscow publishes the recent Soviet Latvian three-year nonaggression pact. Each country binds itself not to participate in political, military, economic or financial agreements directed against the other. The Soviet is declared by its organ Izvestia to be showing the way to pacification through internal relations. Having shown the world how to make peace pacts, the Soviet might perform a still greater service—might show the world how to keep them.

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¶ Peru orders its flag flown on all churches on Sundays and holidays and displayed inside the edifices every day. The order explains that the intention is to intensify the love of the fatherland. The Government feels naturally that the highest patriotism should be found at home in houses of worship—that kind of patriotism being a spiritual quality.

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¶ Peace on earth through Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and Girl Guides—such is one of the dreams of Lord Baden-Powell of Gilwell, founder of all these tremendous movements among the world's youth. Chief Scout Baden-Powell, Chief Guide Lady Baden-Powell, U. S. National Scout Commissioner Daniel C. Beard and other leaders contribute to this issue of this newspaper remarkable, moving statements concerning the mighty juvenile forces they direct. They expect much of the future because they believe that while the Scout outgrows his uniform there are things he will never grow out of—the sterling principles he made his own while in the uniform.

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¶ Turkey sees startling innovations introduced at Islam's greatest festival in ancient and famous St. Sophia Mosque. The Koran is chanted by 25 imams in Turkish instead of the traditional Arabic, in accordance with the recent order of Kemal Pasha; but more arresting still, the voices, for the first time, are carried far outside the crowded cathedral by radio. Alas, the emerging Muhammadan will presently be struggling with the problem which besets the churches in lands where the radio is no novelty: Is it better to install radio so that incapacitated ones may not miss the service, or better to omit it so that fully capacitated ones won't be tempted beyond their strength to let dial devotions keep them at home?

Shanghai, City of Triple Rule

SHANGHAI, with its large foreign element, is divided into three distinct administrative sections. The International Settlement, with an area of more than eight square miles, has a population of 830,760 Chinese and 32,885 foreigners, including 14,230 Japanese, 7047 British and British Indians, 2972 Russians, 1800 Americans, 1402 Portuguese and more than 3000 others.

It originated in 1848 by arrangement between the British community and the local Mayor.

It is at present governed by a municipal council consisting of eight British, two Americans, five Chinese and two Japanese, with an American Director-General. All foreign taxpayers have the right to vote for representatives to this council and to be tried in courts of their own nationality. The settlement taxes and polices itself and holds its land by permanent lease.

The French Concession withdrew from the Foreign Settlement in 1862. It covers 200 acres, and has a population of 12,922 foreigners and 434,807 Chinese. Its council consists of 12 foreigners (mostly French) and five Chinese. Its government is run on similar lines to that of the International Settlement.

Greater Shanghai, the Chinese municipality, has a population of 1,713,456 and covers some 2800 acres. It is governed by Chinese appointees of the National Government, who control the entire area surrounding the foreign settlements.

Shanghai, with more than 3,000,000 inhabitants, altogether, according to latest census figures, is the greatest city in the Far East.

NEW GOVERNOR URGES ECONOMY FOR PORTO RICO

Pay as We Go, He Rules, and Live Within Our Income

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

SAN JUAN, P. R., Feb. 9—"Pay as we go," was the rule laid down for Porto Rico by Gov. James R. Beverley in his first message to the Legislature now in annual 60-day session.

"The Government must live within its income," he said.

The message, drafted since the Governor took office 10 days ago and dealing with a wide range of island matters, was delivered today. The Governor said that the island's credit was good, that it had easily met all service payments on $30,000,000 debts and would continue to do so.

In presenting a budget of $11,000,000 Governor Beverley said if the Legislature considered cutting salaries none under $1000 should be touched and that above that amount salaries should be reduced on a uniform basis. His suggested budget reduction was $285,000. Every economy possible must be effected, he said, without cutting the fundamentals in health and education.

The Governor recommended increasing the interest rate on delinquent taxes from ½ per cent to 1 per cent a month, with a provision that taxes might be paid quarterly instead of semiannually as an aid to taxpayers.

Not so much to produce additional revenue but cause greater interest in the tax laws, the Governor suggested adjustments in the income tax law which would reduce the personal exemption allowed a single person from $1000 to $800, and from $2500 to $1800 in the case of a married person. He also suggested that the exemption for each dependent be reduced from $400 to $250. These reductions were justified, he said, because of the low income levels in Porto Rico.

The Governor suggested a double liability clause for stockholders for the benefit of creditors in the case of bank failures. Such a clause, he said, would make the stockholders more careful in their scrutiny of the officers and directors of banks.

As a means of providing employment and completing the insular road system, the Governor suggested a limited amount of road construction and that temporarily the $1 minimum wage requirement be suspended and that work be spread to as large a number of people as possible. He also recommended a planning board for public works so that projects be executed during dull rather than prosperous times.

Taking Police Out Of Politics Urged

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

CHICAGO, Feb. 9—A plan designed to remove police departments as far as possible from the domination of politics won the indorsement of a joint committee of the American Bar Association and the International Association of Chiefs of Police at a conference here Saturday. It has been recommended for further consideration by the organizations at their next annual meeting.

The plan, which was proposed by Prof. Andrew A. Bruce of the University Law School and former chief justice of the Supreme Court of North Dakota, would deprive mayors of their power to appoint and remove police department heads and vest this power in a board of five persons who would have no other duties.

The members of the board would be appointed by the mayor, but their individual terms would expire at two-year intervals. Thus, according to Professor Bruce, the board would be beyond the control of any one mayor after the plan had been in operation a short time.

SOUTH CAROLINA PLEA FOR POLICE EXPANDS

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

COLUMBIA, S. C.—The W. C. T. U. of South Carolina has added its protest to that of the Spartansburg union against the discontinuance of the state constabulary.

Gov. Ibra C. Blackwood dismissed the state constables when the Legislature failed to include an appropriation for their maintenance in the annual supply bill.

PAN-AMERICAN ROAD TO MEXICO HAS MANY GAPS

Pending Completion Tourists Are Advised Not to Attempt Route

Mexico's herculean task of dynamiting a Pan-American highway through its rock-ribbed mountain fastnesses from the Rio Grande to Mexico City will be completed in not less than two years.

Until then, motor tourists are warned by Mr. William H. Furlong, manager of the highway department of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, that there are gaps in the present highway chain which are extremely dangerous and at certain times of the year are positively impassable.

Mr. Furlong's description of existing highway conditions in Mexico was made today before a group of auton.obile and newspaper men at the Parker House. His purpose, he said, was not to exploit the magnificence of Mexico's lakes and mountains. but to tell the tourist the facts. These facts contained pertinent reminders that Mexico is busy preparing the way for the motorists, but, as yet, is not ready to give them the whole-hearted welcome which they may freely anticipate when the Mexico City highway becomes a through way.

The tourist is further reminded that unless he can speak Spanish and has a workable knowledge of the mechanics of his car, he is driving under a serious handicap in Mexico at this period of highway construction. Even though the Indians might be made to understand where he wanted to go, the motorist could not be sure that the natives could tell him the through route to any section of their country, Mr. Furlong added.

Describing the sections of Mexico which are accessible to the motorist with reasonable comfort and safety, Mr. Furlong pointed out that the Pan-American highway is now open all the year round between Laredo and Victoria, a distance of about 500 miles from San Antonio. Along this stretch of modern highway, as fine as any on the continent, facilities for the tourist are cropping up rapidly, he said.

Beyond Victoria, however, the tourist is warned that there are places where the wheels of a motorcar cannot turn. During the rainy reason, it was explained, there is no part of Mexico, where the roads are not paved, that motor transportation is practical.

Progress was reported by Mr. Furlong on the Pan-American highway south of Mexico City. As far as Acapulco, 466 miles from the capital, he said, an excellent road of asphalt and gravel has made travel south of Mexico City a pleasure.

WHEAT DONATION BILL IS REJECTED

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9—In further confirmation of its determination to insist on economy in every way, the Democratic-controlled House Committee on Agriculture yesterday rejected the proposal to donate government-owned wheat for relief purposes.

By a vote of 14 to 9 the committee ended the legislative career of the bill, already passed by the Senate, which would have made 40,000,000 bushels of wheat owned by the Federal Grain Stabilization Corporation available for distribution by charity organizations.

The bill originated with Senator Arthur Capper (R.) of Kansas, and passed the Senate Jan. 4. Majority members of the committee felt, it was said, that it would be preferable to buy the wheat in the open market. It was pointed out that the Federal Farm Board has loans against the wheat which would have to be covered if the wheat were given away.

16,000 HEAR PADEREWSKI

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—Mr. Ignace Jan Paderewski, the pianist who formerly was Premier of his native Poland, yesterday gave a concert before 16,000 persons in Madison Square Garden. He played for the benefit of unemployed musicians, who officials said, would realize $31,000 from the concert.

CHINA PLEADS FOR LEAGUE AID BEFORE COUNCIL

Yen Asks Members to Take Lead in Halting Japan's War Machine

By Cable from Monitor Bureau

GENEVA, Feb. 9—Dr. W. W. Yen, the Chinese delegate, in a special League of Nations Council meeting this evening desperately pleaded with the powers to take action to rescue his country from continued Japanese attacks along the Shanghai salient. He pathetically referred to the limited fighting resources at China's command and begged the Council members themselves to take the initiative in the rescue.

Dr. Yen emphasized that Japan had rejected the essence of the powers' proposals, and that new steps must now be taken. After reviewing the attacks of the past fortnight upon the defenseless Chinese civilian populations and homes, bombing and burning of libraries, centers of culture and industries, continued bombardment of towns and forts, Dr. Yen declared that the situation had become intolerable. He insisted that China cannot yield further without compromising her national existence.

Meanwhile the Chinese are desperately resisting the advance of the Japanese war machine, said Dr. Yen. If need be, he concluded, its people will not hesitate to make the supreme sacrifice. But he made no specific demands of the Council and only pleaded that organized world authority take effective action.

Debuchi Denies Report Of Tokyo Proposal For Neutral Zones in China

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 — Any scheme by the Japanese Government to establish a neutral zone around five large commercial cities of China as a means of cutting off the revenue of the Chinese war lords and demilitarizing China is unknown officially to Mr. Katsuji Debuchi, Japanese Ambassador to the United States.

After a conference yesterday with Mr. William R. Castle Jr., Under-Secretary of State, with whom he said he had "merely been exchanging opinions," he declared: "No word from the Far East has come to me from the Japanese Government concerning the plans for a demilitarization of China."

He said further that he did not expect such word, and believed if any suggestion to that effect had come from the Foreign Office, the opinion was merely the personal view of the individual making it. He called attention to the fact that Tientsin had been demilitarized since the Boxer rebellion.

From Shanghai, he said, news had come of the landing of the first troops of the division recently reported on the way from Japan. Once the 10,000 men were landed, no other

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Uruguay Dampens Communist Ardor By Drastic Action

By the United Press

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Feb. 9—Montevideo resembled an armed camp last night as the Government took extraordinary precautions to prevent a Communist revolution which had been scheduled to start during the Carnival celebration.

Heavily armed troops were held in readiness in their barracks here and also at Rivera, on the Brazilian frontier, which had been reported as the Communists' proposed point of concentration. Strong guards were thrown about power houses and buildings housing other public utilities, most of which are owned and operated by the Government.

All civilian airplanes at the civil airdrome were ordered dismantled. The essential parts of the motors were deposited in the Military Aviation School for safekeeping. It was understood that this step was taken following rumors that two civilian airplanes were to be flown north to Rivera to obtain a consignment of arms for the revolutionists.

Authorities raided many known Communist centers here and arrested 30 of the radicals. A large quantity of subversive literature, including recently printed pamphlets urging the workers to abandon their jobs and join antigovernment demonstrations, was seized. Communist leaders still at liberty were being closely watched.

Ecuador Abandons Gold Standard

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Feb. 9 (AP)—Ecuador abandoned the gold standard today.

The suspension will be effective until next Nov. 10, and the central bank has been ordered to call in all its foreign deposits for conversion into gold.

Exporters will be obliged to pay export duties in gold and these collections the Government will deposit in the central bank. Moneys for payment of the foreign debt also will be deposited in the bank, which will lend the Government money at 3 per cent interest for expenditure on public works, partial payment of the internal debt and establishment of a national farm bureau.

Ecuador has been having financial difficulties for some time and last year Prof. Edwin Kemmerer of Princeton University was called in to confer with the bankers about the country's finances.

War Against Shirking Dollars Makes Advance on Two Fronts

General Dawes Tells 'Big Business' and Banks How to Dip Into $2,000,000,000 Pool, and Colonel Knox Outlines State Campaign

Special from The Christian Science Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9—President Hoover's far-reaching reconstruction program, designed to mobilize the forces of business recovery, made headway today on two fronts.

At the offices of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Brig.-Gen. Charles G. Dawes, president of the board, issued the first instructions to banks and railroads on how to obtain loans from the corporation's huge stock of capital, which may total $2,000,000,000.

Meanwhile, Col. Frank Knox, publisher of the Chicago Daily News and head of the new White House antihoarding campaign, following a two-day series of conferences with President Hoover, General Dawes and other officials here, outlined the state-by-state organization which he proposes.

"It is a campaign to restore the faith of Americans in their own country," Colonel Knox declared. Conversations in the capital have convinced him, he said, that all the elements are present for a business recovery if confidence can be restored. Reserve stocks are now so depleted in stores and factories, Colonel Knox declared, that once consumer buying is resumed in normal amounts production must start up again.

Instructions from the finance corporation were in two leaflets, the first giving information to banks and other financial institutions desiring loans under the new act, and the second supplying similar information for railroads. Banking groups that are eligible for loans are listed and the form of application is prescribed and particular attention is given to the financial condition of the applicant.

The railroad circular points out that loans must have the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The applicant is required to state what efforts have been taken to obtain funds elsewhere, and the circumstances of such negotiations.

Colonel Knox placed strong emphasis on the position of banks, in discussing the antihoarding drive. He said a name for his group other than "antihoarding" would be devised, which would bring out the broader basis of the organization's purpose, which is to assist in restoring confidence.

"We must get down to the grass roots in this thing," he said, "and

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BLERIOT CLOSES PLANE PLANT TO ENTER POLITICS

Criticism of French Air Ministry Culminates in New Move

By Radio from Monitor Bureau

PARIS, Feb. 9—Criticism of the French Air Ministry and its flying equipment, which has been prevalent for some time, culminated in an announcement today by M. Louis Bleriot, foremost figure in French aviation, that he had closed his factory because of a disagreement with government authorities and intended to enter politics.

M. Bleriot, who was the first to cross the Channel, in a flight in 1909, and whose factory during the war turned out 13,000 planes for allied use, including the famous Spad pursuit type, declares he is voicing the opinion of all leading aircraft manufacturers when he says government methods of supervision and control have ruined the French aviation industry.

Attacked in Chamber

Much criticism of the Air Ministry has recently been heard in the Chamber of Deputies. It is alleged that vast sums of money have been spent on technical developments with almost no results and that equipment of the French air force is inferior in quality to that of most other countries. M. Georges Leygues, former Navy Minister, recently declared there was not a single really efficient plane in the French Navy Air Service. Critics make much of the fact that France, after spending more than $2,000,000 on experiments, was not able to compete for the Schneider Cup.

M. Bleriot in an interview printed this morning in the Paris Midi, reiterates the charge previously made that the French Minister of Colonies, who recently flew home from Indo-China, had to make the journey in foreign machines. He recommends reorganization of the Air Ministry under leadership of a "realist" and says he would be glad to see the famous pilot, Capt. Dieudonné Coste, or M. Louis Breguet, who built the Question Mark, named Air Minister. He maintains government officials should let commercial aircraft manufacturers proceed along lines they know to be best, without obliging them to follow many regulations imposed for military reasons.

Combination Hinted

Combination of the leading French plane manufacturers is hinted at in M. Bleriot's statement and he uses the names not only of Breguet, but of Liore and Latecoere, who are leaders in the industry. M. Bleriot says he closed his factory two months ago because the Air Ministry, having ordered a certain type of plane late in 1928, then refused to pay more than about two-thirds of what it had cost, and that only after it should have crossed the south Atlantic five times. He says other manufacturers had had the same experience.

The question of M. Bleriot's discharging 700 workmen came up in the Chamber a few days ago in the course of a debate on unemployment, and M. Adolphe Landry, Minister of Labor, stated the Government would insist on finding work for these men.

Criticism of the Air Ministry is not directed personally against M. Jacques Louis Dumesnil, present Minister of Air. It is rather directed at the department, which, as formed in 1928 and perpetuated since that time by successive decrees, has never been sanctioned by Parliament. A bill providing for a ministry organization is now ready for presentation to the Chamber of Deputies. The Air Department has always been looked upon with disapproval by the navy, and coöperation between these two ministries is difficult to obtain.

In view of aviation discussions at the Geneva Disarmament Conference and the French proposal for an international air service, the present situation in the French industry is especially noteworthy.

PEACE MOVES FURTHERED BY SCOUTING AIM

Chief of Movement Notes Influence in Lifting Civilization

The week of the twenty-second anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scout movement presents an ideal occasion for the introduction and launching in the Monitor of a column addressed to Boy and Girl Scouts and Guides of Europe and the United States. The following symposium of messages direct from leaders of these movements serves to introduce this feature which will appear on the first, second, third and fourth Thursdays of each month, beginning Feb. 11.

By LORD BADEN-POWELL OF GILWELL

Chief Scout and Founder of Boy Scout and Girl Guide Movements

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

LONDON—The Poet Laureate of Great Britain, John Masefield, is reported to have said recently:

"How can we find peace on earth? Only one way stands out to lift our civilization to a higher level. We must devise some means of living on friendly terms with our neighbors."

Well, that is one of the aims of which we dream in the Boy Scout and Girl Guide movement; and already there seems the amazing possibility of our dreams coming somewhere nearly true.

In our minor steps, as articulated in the Scout law, we encourage practical expression by the boys and girls of the sense of duty to God and to their neighbor—the two governing fundamentals of most forms of religion.

Our methods for assisting parents and teachers to develop character in each boy and girl, side by side with their scholastic training, have fortunately won themselves the approval of educationists, not only in our own country and empire but in most of the civilized countries of the world.

At the same time the attractions of the movement have proved their appeal to the young of all races; and not only in the child but also in the adolescent stage.

Thus it has come about that our membership has grown so rapidly

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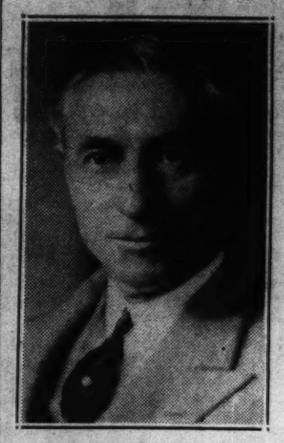
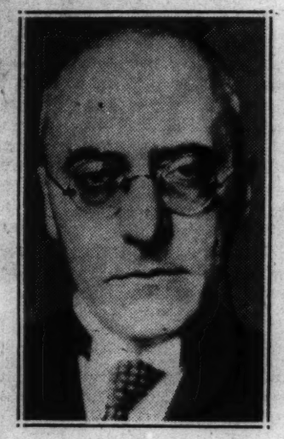
Tell Nations' Stand At Arms Conference





Above—HUGH S. GIBSON (© Harris & Ewing). Spokesman for United States. Below—DR. HEINRICH BRUENING (Underwood), Expounder of Germany's Viewpoint.

Reich Avoids Harsh Words At Conference

Cause of Disarmament Grows Brighter Under Conciliatory Policy

By SISLEY HUDDLESTON

Staff Correspondent

By Cable to The Christian Science Monitor

GENEVA, Feb. 9—So far the quality of speeches at the Disarmament Conference have maintained a remarkably high level. They really contribute something to the debates. They have been fecund in suggestion. They have defined the attitude of the great powers.

The general impression is eminently satisfactory. One feels that the conference has not provided opportunity for a perfunctory expression of banalities or rhetorical elaboration of empty phrases, but on the contrary has furnished a platform for thoughtful utterances of constructive statesmen.

There was great curiousity as to what Dr. Heinrich Bruening would do. Would he break everything in sight? Would he tear like a bull through the china shop of the conference? He was bound to assert Germany's rights to equality in armaments but on his manner of doing so a great deal depended.

The French appeared agreeably surprised at the correctness and moderation of his tone. In conversation with them I found they considered Dr. Bruening had behaved with tact and said all he was obliged to say without giving offense.

All Entitled to Security

Obviously Germany could take no other view than that disarmament cannot be one-sided and that security is a desideratum to which Germany as well as France is entitled. Germany does not wish failure of

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'Thompson Wouldn't Let Me,' Mills Says of Any Changes in Treasury Policies

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 (AP)—Mr. Ogden L. Mills, who in a day or so will be Secretary of the Treasury, called attention the other day to a man people should know more about.

Mr. Mills wanted to give assurance treasury policies would not change with the departure of Secretary Mellon, so he said:

"Why, Mr. Thompson wouldn't let me change anything if I wanted to!"

Mr. Thompson is one of the men who keep the Government going when political upheavals shake out all the old officials and put in greenhorns. He is the man who knows just about all there is to know about the Treasury, who recalls every precedent, who says "No!" each time a newcomer proposes something that conflicts with past decision or law.

Mr. W. Norman Thompson is his name; Executive Assistant to the Undersecretary of the Treasury is his title. He has been there 22 years, under six Presidents and five Secretaries. He has initiated a long string of Undersecretaries to their duties. He is one of a small band of career men who are not touched by administration changes.

Mr. Thompson ranks among the outstanding ones, both through his own conspicuous ability and the importance of his office.

The Undersecretary of the Treasury directs its operations, formulates its fiscal policy and in every way relieves the Secretary of routine.

Mr. Thompson is a slight-built man, not conspicuous, always calm. No matter what is on you can't ruffle him. Once before Mr. Mills said:

"You can't say too much good about him."

Treasury employees all agree. For, not included in his duties, he is guide, philosopher and friend to all of them.

He is from Newark, N. J. In 1907 he came as a civil employee to the War Department. Two years later he transferred to the Treasury. After the first month he went to the Undersecretary's office and there he is today.

WASHINGTON BACKS ARMS LIMITATION

Gibson Supports Thesis of Police Protection and Self-Defense

WOULD BAN GASES AND SUBMARINES

Spokesman for Reich Asks Equal Rights With Others in World Comity

By ERWIN D. CANHAM

Staff Correspondent

By Cable from Monitor Bureau

GENEVA, Feb. 9—A poignant appeal of Germany for honest and equal disarmament through the eloquent words of the Reich Chancellor, Dr. Heinrich Bruening, and a dispassionate advocacy of limitation of armaments by the American diplomatist, Mr. Hugh S. Gibson, today, held the close attention of the Disarmament Conference.

Mr. Gibson's most notable contribution was the announcement that the United States has expanded its policy to support budgetary limitation on war material, fearing a qualitative race may ensue when quantitative limitation has been effected.

The American spokesman's other points included:

Advocacy of the draft convention as a basis of negotiations.

Prolongation of the Washington and London agreements, their extension to France, Italy and other powers, and proportional reductions from these agreements when they have been made general.

Total abolition of submarines.

Measures to protect civilian populations from air bombing.

Total abolition of lethal gases and bacteriological warfare.

Special restrictions upon arms of peculiary offensive character.

Mr. Gibson conceded that sufficient armaments for police protection and legitimate self-defense must remain

Obligation of Powers Cited

Dr. Bruening's gripping earnestness became manifest in his opening phrases which recalled how impatiently the German people have awaited this moment. Speaking in warm resonant German and with impressive sincerity he proceeded to establish the political and economic necessity of a general reduction in armaments.

In no passage did he claim the right of rearmament by Germany. But in continually recurring phrases he built up the obligation on the victorious powers in the World War to fulfill their promises for equality in armament.

"Let us have done," cried Dr. Bruening, "with the tendency of maintaining our own armaments at the highest possible level and reducing our neighbors to the lowest possible depth. Let us have done with the tendency of insuring our own possibility of military action by this or that interpretation of treaties and denying this possibility to others."

Recalling that confidence has been desperately sought as the rallying cry of recent months, Dr. Bruening said: "Here we have today occasion to realize this condition fully. We are at grips with a problem whose solution will best return to peoples their lost confidence.

Path to World Confidence

"Disarmament will create a reality which will reinforce confidence better than any other means. But the German Government and the people demand that their own disarmament be followed by general disarmament."

Dr. Bruening, like preceding speakers, referred to the French plan when he announced the German delegation would examine any proposal in full objectivity.

But unlike predecessors he proceeded to say boldly: "However, propositions which, far from realizing the conference's object as the people desire it are intended to make these objects more remote, must be critically resisted."

By avoiding the extreme of inflammatory claims, but with frank earnestness in plainly putting Germany's case, Dr. Bruening constructively aided the conference and made an impression far better than might have been expected.

Imperialistic echoes from what serious Americans hope is an outgrown era made themselves heard at the conference today when Cuba, Mexico and Colombia refused to subscribe to a resolution stating that the American Continent had known security for half a century.

A pan-American meeting was called, including Latin America, Canada and the United States. It was proposed to formulate a common policy, but insufficient delegates had clear enough instructions to commit themselves so extensively, and the meeting agreed merely to act in concert whenever possible.

But a resolution stating that Americans had enjoyed security for 50 years ran into heavy sailing.

A Cuban delegate arose stating, "No, we have not enjoyed security from foreign attack and intervention." A Mexican said, "No, we have not been secure," and a Colombian, recalling the hectic days before the Panama Canal was built, declared he could not subscribe to such a declaration. The resolution failed, but all American powers parted on the best of terms and there were indications that the era of aggression has passed

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SEABURY ASKS JAIL FOR DOYLE AND HASTINGS

Court Considers Cases of Stumblingblocks to Walker Inquiry

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 9—The seven judges of the Court of Appeals have before them today two cases which have been chief stumblingblocks to the procedure of the Hofstadter joint legislative inquiry into the New York City government, following the appearance of Judge Samuel Seabury before them yesterday to ask jail sentences for State Senator John A. Hastings, (D.), of New York City and Dr. William F. Doyle, one-time special pleader before the board of standards and appeals. The court reserved its decision, which is expected within the week.

In the month of legal procedure during which Senator Hastings avoided appearing before the committee to testify, Judge Seabury's charges that he was in contempt of the committee for refusing service of its subpœna have been consistently upheld in the New York City courts. Execution of the 30-day jail sentence only pended review of the case by the State's highest tribunal yesterday.

Mr. Hastings has been called by Judge Seabury the "bought agent of private interests seeking favors from the city" Mr. Hastings, on the other hand, contends that he is immune from a civil proceeding during or within 14 days of a session of the Legislature. This question of privilege, Judge Seabury argued in reply, was one set up by the Legislature itself and "so conferred gives the legislator himself no privilege against a body of the Legislature."

The case of Dr. Doyle dates from the early months of the city inquiry last summer, when he was called before the committee to explain his $2,000,000 practice before the standard board. Dr. Doyle refused to testify on the ground that it might incriminate him, was declared in contempt and ordered by the Court of Appeals to reply to the question, "Did you bribe any public official?" His answer to the committee was "No," and the latter holds that in so answering he failed to reply in good faith and perjured himself.

It was the contention of Doyle's counsel yesterday that the truth or falsity of his client's answer had no bearing on the case and that by the mere act of answering he had cleared himself of the contempt charge.

Envoy Discredits Plan for China

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troops, so far as he knew, were to be shipped there.

In a message from Admiral M. M. Taylor, commander-in-chief of the United States Asiatic fleet, the Department of State was informed today that the International Defense Committee at Shanghai had held a conference relative to the establishment of a neutral zone.

The Admiral reported that the Japanese had landed over 2500 troops below Woosung Creek, but the Chinese continued to hold the Woosung area. A Japanese air operating field had been established at the easternmost end of the International Settlement. Firing and bombing in the Chapei district were being continued.

Word came to the Department of State here yesterday that the League of Nations Far Eastern Commission of Inquiry will arrive in New York aboard the S. S. Paris today. The commissioners will leave for San Francisco at 11:30 p. m., arriving there on the morning of Feb. 13 and sailing aboard the S. S. President Coolidge for the Far East. The S. S. President Coolidge has delayed its passage 12 hours in order to accommodate the commission.

Japan and China will each have an assessor, who will assist in the commission's investigations.

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Big Sum for Military Expenditure Up Before Tokyo Finance Minister

By Cable to The Christian Science Monitor

TOKYO, Feb. 9—While the outlook is not very bright, competent observers feel that there is a chance of success if the powers informally indicate a willingness to disconnect Manchuria from the other Sino-Japanese problems, leaving Manchurian matters alone.

It is understood that the Finance Minister tonight will give his final decision regarding the army's and navy's request for appropriation of 39,000,000 yen for expenses at Shanghai to March 31, or the end of the current fiscal year. The amount would be the maximum expenditure, and would not be necessarily be all used, especially if no more reinforcements were sent.

The military authorities, however, want the amount finally authorized for use if needed. It is believed that funds would be raised from time to time, as necessary, through internal bond issues, since a foreign loan is obviously impossible. Such appropriations could be made under Article 70 of the Constitution, covering emergency financial measures.

Railway Expert to Sail

Mr. Yosuke Matsuoka, former vice-president of the South Manchuria Railway, a widely known Manchurian expert, lectured before the Emperor regarding the Chinese situation this afternoon, after which it was officially learned that Mr. Matsuoka would depart shortly for Shanghai as informal representative of Mr. Kenkichi Yoshizawa, the Foreign Minister, and Mr. Tsuyashi Inukai, the Premier, charged with liaison duties between the Japanese military and foreign representatives. It is understood that actually Mr. Matsuoka will become the Government's principal spokesman and contact man at Shanghai, a fact that newspaper correspondents welcome owing to his proficiency in English and his expert knowledge of Chinese affairs.

The Government has instructed the embassies abroad to use the first convenient opportunity to sound out the powers regarding the possibility of the formation of neutral zones 15 to 20 miles wide around Canton, Shanghai, Hankow, Tsingtao and Tientsin. Such zones would be in the nature of "cordons sanitaire" and would admittedly mean complete reversal of the policies adopted at the Washington conference and expressed in the Nine Power treaty.

Japan argues, however, that such a reversal is necessary, since during the 10 years following the Washington conference, the Chinese proved unable to form a stable government and to eliminate warlordism. It is asserted that such zones would destroy warlordism, which canont exist without control of the wealthy cities. Outlining a plan of government, the spokesman admitted that it was of the nature of a trial balloon and would require a long time to effectuate. He said that Japan, however, believes that the powers face a condition, not a theory, in China and the intervention policy, followed since the Washington conference has proved a failure. Hence intervention must be adopted.

American Support Needed

It is admitted that the plan would hardly succeed without American support, which, it is realized, will be difficult to obtain.

Japan would welcome League of Nations coöperation in enforcing such a plan, and believes that neutrality zones could be maintained, since Japan was near by, with sufficient forces to prevent Chinese armies invading the prohibited areas. The scheme, it was said, might mean the demilitarization of all China, but it was obvious that it was what was needed.

Competent observers have long considered that some such scheme must eventually be enforced, and they feel that it is worthy of serious consideration. It is believed that Japan will formally propose the idea during an international conference, which will be necessary when an effort is started to finally liquidate the present Shanghai situation.

Peiping Bankers Urge Conclave to Consider Plans to Help Nation

By Cable to The Christian Science Monitor

PEIPING, China, Feb. 8—It is learned that the Government has indefinitely postponed the national emergency conference scheduled for Feb. 11, owing to political differences and the difficulty of convening in remote Loyang. Members of the Peiping National Salvaton Federation today sent a circular telegram to all delegates urging them to come to Peiping immediately to hold a session on their own accord regardless of developments in the diplomatic situation.

The Peiping Bankers' Association resolved that a conference should be convened as the only effective demonstration of national solidarity.

Many prominent Nanking officials and families, arriving here daily, are renting houses in view of a permanent stay. They believe that prospects of orderly government in this region are promising. Anti-Japanese boycott has relaxed locally.

The Chinese residents are celebrating their New Year festivities in the customary fashion this week. The first contingent of foreign refugees from Nanking arrived in Peiping today, preparing to remain until peace is restored. The American legation is sending winter uniforms to Shanghai for marines arriving from Manilla.

Washington Opposed To Tokyo Proposal For Neutral Zones in China

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9—Japan's reported scheme for international demilitarization of zones surrounding the principal commercial centers of China is opposed here in official circles.

The plan, calling for the demilitarization of Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, Tsingto and Tientsin, proposes that each center shall be surrounded by a neutral zone 15 to 20 miles wide, policed under international supervision, from which Chinese soldiers would be permanently excluded.

The foreign powers to whom this scheme would be broached would retain permanently extraterritorial rights at each place.

Neutralizing certain portions of China is considered here as equivalent to the disintegration of the Chinese Empire, since Chinese control would be excluded from the principal ports of that nation.

Attention is particularly called to a pledge made by the Japanese, Nov. 9, 1930, in reply to a note from the American Government of Nov. 5, bringing to Japan's attention the fact that soon after the Sino-Japanese War of 1894-95, a policy looking to the eventual partition of China appeared to be gaining ground in many quarters of the world.

In denunciation of such a policy, the United States, Great Britain and Japan were in complete accord and their determination to respect the territorial and administrative integrity of China was affirmed in many of the diplomatic instruments signed by these powers.

Japan's pledge of Nov. 9, declared that "the Japanese Government remains unchanged in their stand against the partition of China."

China's Case Strengthened By Report of Consuls To League of Nations

By Cable from Monitor Bureau

GENEVA, Feb. 8—A report from the committee of Consuls-General in Shanghai, intended to furnish the League of Nations with impartial evidence upon which to proceed with strong action in the Far Eastern situation, was published today by the League and on the whole reinforces the Chinese statement of the case as well as newspaper accounts.

It has established that the Japanese attack on Chapei, for example, came after the Chinese had complied in so far as was within their power with the ultimata issued by the Japanese Consul-General, and that the Japanese naval forces apparently unleashed the attack on their own initiative. This aggression and subsequent bombing of civilian neighborhoods are clearly established in the report.

However, the consuls have been cautious to give a fair statement of both sides of the case, although they successfully riddle the more extreme of Japanese contentions.

Responsibility now lies with the Council to take action upon the evidence presented. However, now that four great powers, the United States, Britain, France and Italy, are pursuing independent action to bring pressure upon Japan, there is a tendency to await the outcome of their efforts. An early Council session is inevitable.

Now We'll Find Out How Hungry He Is

Soviet-Latvian Pact Published at Moscow

By Radio to The Christian Science Monitor

Moscow, Feb. 9

THE text of the Soviet-Latvian three-year nonaggression pact, recently signed at Riga, was published here today. The two countries bind themselves to abstain from aggression against each other and not to participate in any political military agreements directed against the other signatory. Neither side will participate in any agreements aiming to establish an economic financial boycott against the other party. The treaty is not yet ratified.

The Izvestia today declares this "nonaggression treaty has significance going far beyond Soviet-Latvian relations, because it shows the whole world one way to the pacification of international relations."

Hidden Fund Campaign Gradually Takes Form

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convince the hoarder that it is to his own individual, selfish interest to further the campaign, first, to aid the credit situation, and second to protect the community's own banks."

Colonel Knox said he was working out a definite plan to bring money from hoarding, but declined to give details other than to say that the proposal will be specific and direct. Headquarters will be in Chicago and a chairman will be chosen for each state.

Colonel Knox cited an antihoarding drive waged in Aurora, Ill., as an example that might be followed in other communities. Here an intensive house-to-house campaign was undertaken, and bank deposits were increased $1,000,000 in the first day.

The basis of American business revival at the present time, he asserted, is in the domestic field. Ninety-eight per cent of the trouble, he declared, is "right at home."

Mr. William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, called to order today a meeting of national and international officers said to represent 5,000,000 workingmen, to consider employment relief proposals before Congress. Only upon extraordinary occasions, Mr. Green stated, is such a conference convened.

A nation-wide drive will be launched Feb. 15 by the American Legion, it is stated, with the goal of securing employment for 1,000,000 men.

Today in Congress the House Ways and Means Committee took up the Hoover tax increase program by which it is hoped to raise about $1,000,000,000 to balance the budget. A bill is expected by March 1.

At the same time, Senator Carter Glass (D.) of Virginia and Senator Frederic C. Walcott (R.) of Connecticut are continuing conferences on revision of the national bank act. The Senate Banking Committee next week resumes hearings on the Hoover home-loan discount bank proposal.

Horse Racing Bill Supporters Heard

Supporters of a measure designed to legalize pari-mutuel betting on horse races in Massachusetts today presented their side of the case at a public hearing before the Legislative Committee on Legal Affairs. The bill, which would be designated as the Massachusetts Racing Act, is also drawn to assist agriculture and old-age relief within the State.

Among those favoring the bill for legalized gambling at horse races, presented by Representative Christian A. Herter of Boston, was Judge Frank J. Bryan of New York, a director of the running horse plant at Pimlico, Md. He outlined the effects of the pari-mutuel system of betting at Maryland race tracks and also told of the financial benefits accruing to the State thereby.

Other supporters of the measure were Mr. Hugh Bancroft, head of the Cohasset Horse Show; Mr. Charles F. Adams, owner of the Boston Bruins Hockey Club, and Mr. Fred F. Field, president of the Brockton Agricultural Society.

Illinois Manufacturers To Act Against Hoarding

Special from Monitor Bureau

CHICAGO, Feb. 9 — President Hoover's efforts to restore hoarded money to circulation will have the "full and aggressive coöperation" of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association, he was informed in a message from Mr. Samuel M. Hastings, association president, made public yesterday.

"Hidden dollars expended for manufactured products and all general merchandise obviously will restore millions of persons to employment," the message said. "It will restore public confidence, which is the first essential to a restoration of normal and successful industrial and commercial enterprise."

Colombia Takes Steps To Ease National Credit

BOGOTA, Colombia, Feb. 8 (AP)—Preliminary work for establishment of a credit organization similar to the National Credit Corporation set up in New York by the United States Government to help banks with frozen credits got under way today.

A committee of representatives of national and foreign bankers approved regulations for the Colombian Credit Corporation, which will have 10,000,000 pesos ($9,600,000) capital subscribed by all banks in Colombia. The corporation will last for 10 years and will be authorized to handle all types of bank and mortgage business except the receipt of deposits.

Its principal object will be to purchase frozen paper from banks in need of financial assistance.

GAINS IN IMPORTS SHOWN

Sizable gains in the value of imports for consumption at the Port of Boston are shown in the weekly report of Mr. W. W. Lufkin, Collector of Customs. Imports for the week ending Feb. 6, made public today, were valued at $1,615,102, against $1,423,570 for the previous week. Only four times since these statistics have been compiled, starting Oct. 24, last, has this figure been exceeded. Value of imports for warehouse for the week of Feb. 6 was $62,334, against $306,360 for the previous week.

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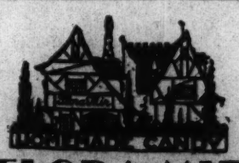
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Indian Governors Faced by Series Of Terrorist Acts

By Radio to The Christian Science Monitor

DELHI, Feb. 9—Two acts of terrorism occurred in India over the week-end. One was an attempt to assassinate Sir Stanley Jackson, Governor of Bengal, while addressing the annual convocation of Calcutta University; the other was a bomb explosion on a railway track outside Delhi on the line on which the franchise committee traveled. In neither case were there any fatalities.

A feature of the Calcutta outrage was the fact that Dr. Abdullah Suhrawardy, the first Moslem ever occupying the position of a vice-chancellor of Calcutta University, protected the British Governor by springing forward upon the would-be assassin, a Hindu woman student, armed with a revolver, the moment the first shot was fired, thereby spoiling the aim of four shots discharged subsequently.

The shots were from alongside the platform within 10 feet of the Governor, who evoked the enthusiasm of the 3000 persons attending the gathering he was addressing by continuing his speech calmly in less than a minute after the outrage occurred and its perpetrator had been secured. The only person hit was a professor, who received a slight bullet graze.

Utilization of women in these crimes is viewed in political circles here as a direct result of the appeal of the All-India National Congress for women to enter the political "firing line." Significance also attaches to the fact that during the last 14 months three attempts have been made against provincial governors—in Bombay, the Punjab and Bengal.

MORE PASSENGERS SAIL FROM BOSTON

Passengers sailing from Boston were more numerous by 2705 in 1931 than they were in 1930 calendar year according to Mr. Richard Parkhurst, secretary to the Boston Port Authorities. In 1931 there were 18,304 passengers sailed from Boston against 15,599 in 1930. Br. Parkhurst said that the Port Authorities were conducting an extensive campaign to bring additional business to the port of Boston. Literature has been sent throughout the nation giving information on steamship movements.

Mr. Parkhurst announced that the new sliding gangplank at Commonwealth Pier is to be ready for use about Feb. 25. This makes possible the reaching of the second floor of the pier direct from steamers which tie up at the end of the pier.

VERMONT TO HAVE NATIONAL FOREST

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Feb. 9 (AP)—Eleven hundred acres in Winhall and Peru will become the nucleus for a Vermont national forest, Mr. E. A. Melendy, administrator of the M. J. Hapgood estate, which includes the tract, announced today.

The land is a part of 31,000 acres in southern Vermont, the purchase of which was authorized in 1930, and which will be acquired as titles satisfactory to the Government are established. The Hapgood tract was one of the first areas not found to have some impediment in title.

EDUCATION PROGRAM CUT

WORCESTER, Mass. Feb. 9 (AP)—In anticipation of a reduced budget appropriation for 1932, Mr. Walter S. Young, superintendent of schools, yesterday ordered the discontinuance of all adult education classes, effective Thursday. He also said the evening high schools probably will be closed a month earlier than usual.

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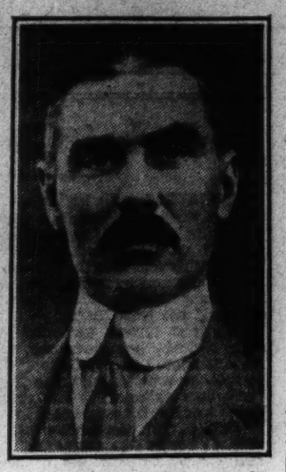
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JOSEPH CLARK GREW

Grew Appointment Is Sent to Senate

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9—Further indication of the United States Government's interest in Far-Eastern affairs is seen by President Hoover's announcemnt today of the appointment of Mr. Joseph Clark Grew of Massachusetts and New Hampshire, Ambassador to Turkey, as Ambassador to Japan, replacing Mr. W. Cameron Forbes of Massachusetts. Mr. Grew's appointment is before the Senate for confirmation.

Born in Boston in 1880, the new appointee graduated from Harvard University in 1902, and received the Degree of LL.D. from George Washington University in 1906.

Traveling extensively in Europe and the East, Mr. Grew worked up through the diplomatic service, a career man, serving in Egypt, Mexico, Russia, Germany, Austria, Washington, D. C., and Turkey.

BILL TO BEAUTIFY ROADSIDES URGED

Development and beautification of lands adjoining state highways was urged today by representatives of various outdoor organizations before the legislative committee on highways and motor vehicles, in favoring a bill designed to authorize the public works department to acquire land adjoining state highways for such purposes. The bill was drawn up by the Massachusetts Forestry Association.

Proponents urged that the money for this purpose be taken from the gasoline tax. The committee was urged to give some thought to the tourist trade which speakers contended might be increased with the elimination of "hot dog" stands and other unsightly roadside structures.

UNITED STATES SETS UP 42 JOB BUREAUS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 (AP)—Mr. William N. Doak, Secretary of Labor, yesterday announced establishment of 42 additional employment offices throughout the country. They are among 54 branches to be established by the United States employment service, under a law passed at the last session of Congress.

The offices included: New York City (1 East 104th Street), Schenectady, Rochester and Auburn, N. Y., and Scranton, Harrisburg and Pittsburgh, Penna.

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Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 9—A group of Spanish-American War veterans in Buffalo has organized an association to carry on a national campaign to raise $3,000,000 to erect in Buffalo a memorial to President Theodore Roosevelt and those who served with him in the Spanish-American War.

Gifts of $1000 Help Legion's Job Drive

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—The National Employment Commission of the American Legion has been assured a "war chest" of $100,000 by a group of sponsors donating $1000 each, Mr. Henry L. Stevens Jr., national Legion commander, announced yesterday.

Mr. J. Cheever Cowdin, Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney and Col. Henry Breckenridge comprise the committee organizing the $1000 sponsors.

Mr. Martin T. McKee, executive director of the drive, which will open Feb. 15, said this is the first time money had been accepted outside of Legion membership. Among the 44 sponsors announced were Mr. Kermit Roosevelt Jr., Marshall Field 3d, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh Mrs. Amelia Earhart Putnam, and Gen. W. W. Atterbury.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE FUND $15,353

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 9 (AP) — The New Hampshire State Unemployment Committee yesterday announced that to date they had received voluntary contributions totaling $15,353. Of this sum, $2627 has been spent on cases in 39 towns, distributed among each of the counties, the committee said.

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Canada's Opposition Head Also Criticizes Bennett

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 9—If it had not been for the League of Nations and its development of public opinion on behalf of international peace, instead of the isolated encounters in the Far East "we would be witnessing today the most unparalleled brutality the world has ever seen," declared Mr. W. L. Mackenzie King, leader of the Opposition, in the House of Commons yesterday.

Speaking in reply to the speech from the Throne and its reference to the Disarmament Conference at Geneva, Mr. King upheld the League as successfully displacing force with reason in world affairs, and compared its work with that of the Industrial Disputes Act in the labor field which, through the council board, he said, has practically eliminated lockouts and strikes.

Turning to the forthcoming imperial conference, Mr. King criticized Mr. R. B. Bennett, Prime Minister, for his "methods of approach" toward the last conference in London. The policy of the Liberals from the time of Sir Wilfred Laurier to the present has been one of "reciprocal concessions to other parts of the empire," he said, and "we would have returned from the last conference with substantial gains."

He accused Mr. Bennett of an attitude of "petty bargaining" and urged him to drop his attitude at the next conference and approach Great Britain "in the spirit in which she approaches us, as exemplified by the 10 per cent preference to the British nations already announced."

While this might not bring complete free trade within the empire, he said he believed that it would result in far freer trade than at present and engender closer coöperation and good will. He condemned Canada's recent impositions of high tariffs, anti-dumping laws and other "restrictions to trade" as causing "friction and irritation to a degree that can only be called indescribable."

Mr. Bennett replied with a defense of his drastic protection policy, which he declared had alone saved the country from bankruptcy. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 1930, the adverse balance of trade was $90,000,000, he said; in 1931 it grew to $103,000,000. This year, he pointed out, it has been reduced to less than $10,000,000, and last month $5,000,000 more was taken off. Canada, he continued, carried a non-trading obligation of $1,000,000 a day in the currency of foreign countries, against which there was only one invisible source of supply, the tourist trade.

"We had to restore our trade balance if we were to maintain our solvency," said Mr. Bennett, "and the tariff is the only instrument I know with which Canada could restore its trade balance and meet its obligations in the money markets of the world. We have arrested the flow of imports and hope to equalize our trade by the end of this fiscal year."

Drastic economy and curtailment will still be necessary, he said. He announced a cut of 10 per cent in the salaries of all public services, from the heads of the Government down to the main body of the civil service, which would result in a saving of between $7,500,000 and $8,000,000. After referring briefly to the economy conference and Great Britain's commitment to Empire preferential trade; to the suggested wheat quota "which is still being explored," and to the St Lawrence waterway scheme, which is being negotiated Mr. Bennett closed his talk on a note of high optimism that drew the applause of his party.

PARENTS PROTEST TRANSFER OF PUPILS

Testifying that their children will have too far to go to school, parents protested the transfer of pupils in the Minot and Mary Hemenway School districts to the newly completed Woodrow Wilson Intermediate School at Washington and Fuller Streets at a public conference with the school committee.

Mr. Patrick T. Campbell, superintendent of schools, explained a need for district reorganization to provide an intermediate school for pupils in the Minot and Mary Hemmenway Schools, but Mr. John J. Concannon of Ward 16 said such a transfer would leave one of the largest wards in the city without an intermediate school while others have two. It was suggested that additions be built to the Thomas J. Kenny School, to avoid the necessity of sending pupils a distance in some cases of two miles to the Woodrow Wilson School.

MAYOR OF REVERE SUBMITS BUDGET

Mr. Andrew A. Casassa, Mayor of Revere, in presenting his budget to the City Council last night, urged its passage as soon as possible to enable city employees who have not received their salaries for five weeks to be paid. A speedy passage, Mayor Casassa explained, will also make it possible for the city to dispose of its tax anticipation notes.

The budget showed a reduction of $174,896 less than that of last year and it is expected that the tax rate will be reduced from $41.60 to $37. The reduction, it was explained, has been brought about by a 5 per cent cut in salaries of city employees and a 5 per cent donation from their salaries as a voluntary donation to the city. This donation, Mayor Casassa stated, amounted to $52,704 and at his request has been turned over to the Public Welfare Department.

Chicago Board Seeks Freedom From Interference

Special from Monitor Bureau

CHICAGO, Feb. 9—A more aggressive policy to meet the "inroads of bureaucracy and governmental interference with its markets" has been adopted by the Chicago Board of Trade.

This attitude of exchange members, which has become intensified during the régime of the Federal Farm Board, was expressed recently in the election of Mr. Peter B. Carey as their fifty-ninth president.

The new exchange leader has been a stanch and outspoken advocate of commodity markets and their economic service as viewed on the board since he first joined the Board of Trade in 1912. New directors who are pledged to fight for the rights of the exchange also took office at the same time he was inaugurated president.

Mr. Carey voices the new attitude of the Chicago Board of Trade. "Today," he declared, "complaints are being filed from many industries other than the grain trade that it is unfair for the government to loan taxpayers' money at below commercial rates to be used in competition against the same taxpayers who contributed the funds.

"Unlike most other exchanges, the Chicago Board of Trade has avoided official criticism of the Farm Board, hoping for the growth of sound policies. But we finally have found our marketing machinery curtailed to the point of destruction.

"In the light of developments it is little wonder that the commodity markets and the agricultural trades have been painfully disillusioned. Scores of farm groups also are demanding that their normal markets be returned. Public opinion is revolting against government extravagance, dangerous tampering with economic laws, and the amazing growth of bureaucracy under which the exchanges have long suffered and from which business in general is at last feeling the withering lash of higher taxes and lower earnings.

"All the commodity exchanges ask of the Government and Congress is an opportunity to function normally. We ask, and we will demand, the right to distribute the farmer's produce and surpluses without the blighting influence of attempts at government price fixing and unfair competition with private business."

Lower Municipal Costs Advocated

Needs for retrenchment and reorganization of municipal financing methods are shown in a survey completed by the division of municipal and industrial research of Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The study covered municipal costs in the Commonwealth from 1921 to 1929 inclusive.

Total per capita costs in the period were found to be higher for cities in this State than for the country as a whole. A decline in receipts from personal income and corporation taxes is expected to show a further decline in 1931. Unless this is balanced by curtailed expenditures, increases in taxation or indebtedness must result, it is stated.

Increases in municipal costs, at a greater rate than population growth, are the general rule in Massachusetts as elsewhere although not to the same extent, the survey showed. Efforts are being made to relieve the necessity for borrowing money to operate municipalities for a considerable part of each year. But it is pointed out that such remedial legislation leaves untouched the central difficulty, namely, reduction in existing general level of maintenance costs.

GEORGES BANK BIG SOURCE OF SEA FOOD

Forty per cent of the sea food landed by fishing vessels at Boston and Gloucester, Mass., and Portland, Me., comes from Georges Bank, the huge area off Cape Cod extending nearly to Nova Scotia and several miles east by south of Boston. Statistics compiled by the United States Bureau of Fisheries at Washington, received in Boston, also show that 12 per cent of the landings come from Browns Bank.

Receipts at the three ports in 1931 totaled 263,684,584 pounds, valued at $9,249,257. Haddock is the leading item in the receipts at the three ports, constituting 55 per cent of the total.

Motor Insurance Rise Is Forecast

Higher automobile insurance rates for 1933, unless something is done about the existing compulsory insurance law, were prefigured at a legislative hearing yesterday. Mr. John W. Downs, counsel for insurance companies, reminded the Committee on Insurance that the 3601 more accidents in 1931 over the preceding year are indicative of a general trend toward higher rates as the law is now administered.

Actually, the hearing was held for the purpose of discussing bills designed to decrease insurance rates. The bill which Mr. Downs supported called for the substitution of the compulsory law with a personal responsibility system to provide relief for the careful driver by fastening the burden of high rates on the drivers who cause the accidents.

Establishment of a rating control board to classify drivers according to the premiums they should pay on insurance and to take the automobile accident cases out of the hands of the courts was among the other proposals advanced. A state fund from the proceeds of the gasoline tax to reimburse claimants in accident cases was also advised. No opposition was offered to any of the proposals.

Limitation of the power of the courts in respect to picketing by labor agencies and in placing restraints on laborers in joining unions was proposed before the legislative Committee on Judiciary. Six bills were under discussion.

Mayor James M. Curley's proposal to abolish the Board of Tax Appeals was reported adversely by the Committee on State Administration.

JUNNOSUKE INOUYE IS ASSASSINATED

TOKYO, Feb. 9 (AP)—Mr. Junnosuke Inouye, Finance Minister in the former Wakatsuki Cabinet, was assassinated tonight by a young Japanese.

Mr. Inouye had been Finance Minister in two cabinets and held numerous important offices in Japanese financial institutions. He was made chief of the business bureau of the Bank of Japan, afterward becoming president of the Yokohama Specie Bank. He has twice been governor of the Bank of Japan.

DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON

Detroit, Toledo & Ironton (controlled by Pennroad Corporation) in preliminary statement for the year ended Dec. 31 shows net loss of $565,968, after charges, compared with net of $1,717,478, equivalent under participating provisions of the shares, to $20.89 a share on 65,000 shares of common in 1930.

A Smile Is a Smile Wherever It Is Found

TIBETAN WOMEN AT THEIR SPINNING

These Aboriginals of China Grow Their Own Wool, Card It, Spin It and Weave It Into Cloth for Their Warm Garments Necessary in the High Altitudes.

These cheerful Tibetan housewives, busily spinning wool while they gossip, have attracted the interest of the Chinese Government for the first time in history. These aboriginals occupied China long before the Chinese, just as American Indians occupied the United States. For centuries the Chinese walked upon them scornfully, but within the last two years the Nanking Government has formed a department to look after their welfare. Tibetans likewise have been benefited, for last year a conference on Tibetan affairs was held and plans made for greater governmental activity in Tibet.

Home Woodwork Activities Urged

As a further aid in development of home industries in the United States, the committee on wood utilization of the United States Department of Commerce, has issued a pamphlet entitled "You Can Make It for Profit." Mr. Hugh D. Butler, New England manager of the United States Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, calls attention to the value of the booklet to those desiring to turn their hand to home-made wooden products.

About one-third of the nation's timberland is in the hands of farmers and the development of home industries in the woodworking field therefore, would provide both an outlet for products of farm wood lots, and profitable occupation for the farmer during slack winter months, it is pointed out. The pamphlet describes woods, glues, tools, etc., that are best for home woodworking.

In the booklet are diagrams for scores of handy articles that can be made from wood, with directions as to quantity of wood needed, and the suggestion that many of the articles can be made to sell completely assembled or "knocked down."

Longer and Cheaper Letters by Air Mail

To encourage the use of air mail service, particularly that to Latin America, the Pan American Airways, Inc., has conducted an extensive investigation into suitable light weight paper and envelopes for correspondence by air mail. Cooperation of more than 100 leading business institutions and the advice of a foremost paper expert resulted in selection of a practical paper and envelope expressly for air mail.

Five sheets of this paper in an ordinary business-size envelope or six sheets in a small-size envelope weigh less than a half ounce, the weight on which air mail postage is based. This would mean cutting the cost of air mail to Latin-America to about one-fifth, according to Mr. V. E. Chenea, general traffic manager.

LIBRARY WORKERS EXEMPT

WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 9 (AP)—Worcester Public Library employees yesterday, were freed of any obligation to pay federal income taxes. A ruling direct from Mr. Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury, to Mr. Robert W. Shaw, librarian, dated Feb. 5, states: "The compensation received by the employees of the free public library of Worcester, Mass., is held to be exempt from federal income tax."

Wellesley Girl Publishes Work

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

WELLESLEY, Mass., Feb. 9—Miss Annita Melville Ker of Washington, D. C., Wellesley College graduate in the class of 1930, has already made her mark in research. Her name appears on the title page of a scholarly bibliography, "A Survey of Mexican Scientific Periodicals."

This work, a publication of the Harvey Bassler Foundation, covers a field never before so methodically explored and consists of the bibliography and a short study of most of the organizations that are publishing scientific journals in Mexico. The history of the Mexican research period, Miss Ker has found, began Jan. 15, 1788, when Don Jose Antonion Alzate y Ramirez published the first number of his Gazeta de Literatura.

Her survey includes the early and transitional magazines, although most emphasis is placed upon recent publications. She has included archeology, bibliography and philology as well as the better known physical and natural sciences in her study.

Miss Ker spent much of her early life in Mexico and took honors in Spanish at Wellesley. She went to Mexico after her graduation and conducted her researches in libraries in Mexico City where no cataloguing had ever been completed. She is now employed by the Library of Congress in cataloguing the collection of Spanish and South American literature.

British Consider Free Port Areas For Reëxporting

By Radio from Monitor Bureau

LONDON, Feb. 9—Establishment of free port areas in Britain, probably in the London docks and near the wharves at Liverpool, Southampton, Glasgow, Bristol, Hull and Leith, to enable reëxport trade amounting to £64,000,000 annually, to avoid new tariffs, is foreshadowed here. These free port areas are to accommodate goods brought into Britain for reshipment purposes. Arrangements also are being made for rebate of import duty on reëxportation goods already taxed.

The Government, in the House of Commons yesterday, defeated by a 438-to-39 vote, a censure motion put forward by the Labor Opposition, disapproving the latiture allowed Sir Herbert Samuel and other Liberal ministers over the tariff question. These ministers have been permitted to remain in the Government though speaking and voting against the Cabinet's tariff policy, an innovation sufficiently doubtfully regarded among the Conservatives to have induced the Opposition to take it up.

Meanwhile the need for tariffs is regarded in Conservative circles as emphasized by official figures today showing 218,000 more persons unemployed than last month. Unemployment always goes up in Britain during this part of the winter, but the present increase is 34,000 more than the same period last year.

Slot Machines Now Give Wide Variety Of Things and Can Even Make Change

Special from The Christian Science Monitor Bureau

CHICAGO, Feb. 9 — Electric refrigeration for slot machines is on the way. An automatic vending machine capable of keeping ice cream bars fresh and hard for a month or more is ready to go on the market, an eastern manufacturer announced during the convention of the Automatic Merchandisers' Association meeting here today.

Robot salesmen have acquired many uses of late, an exhibit of devices at the Palmer House shows. The little old box into which you slipped your penny and out of which came, if all went well, a piece of chocolate or a stick of gum, is nowhere to be seen here. The machines are much more accomplished. One is capable of making change; another can detect and reject most of the slugs or counterfeit coins put into it for a test; a third gives you money back when you don't get your goods.

One dealer calls his machine a miniature five and ten cent store. It has two rows of shelves, all behind glass. Turn the indicator to one of the five-cent objects, put in your nickel, pull the lever, and your choice of an assortment of 15 articles comes out. If it is a ten-cent article you want, do the same thing on the other side. The instrument shown here is stocked with candy bars, tooth paste, soap, hairpins and other useful articles. Another exhibitor has a machine which offers an assortment of 42 items.

Some machines are elegant in appearance. One, for theaters, is built in the form of a golden console table, the candy bars sitting comfortably on red plush beds. Others are chromium plated like the new automobile hoods.

Use of automatic machines for selling is steadily increasing, said Mr. David S. Bond of Boston, president of the association. Among commodities or services now sold this way, he said, are automobile parts, soft drinks, golf tees, postal cards, razor blades, shoe shines and amusements such as a baseball game exhibited here, which allows the person playing it, after slipping in his coin, to push a lever which swings the batsman's bat and hits the ball. Nothing comes out of this instrument except entertainment, and how it draws the crowds!

NOTES OFFERED TAXPAYERS

TAUNTON, Mass., Feb. 9 (AP)—To relieve this city's financial condition, notes for $100 or more, at 5½ per cent, are to be offered the taxpayers, Mayor Andrew J. McGraw announced yesterday. Banks have refused to make short-time loans to the city.

Miami Thanks Indian Legend For Its Supply of Pure Water

City's Name of Seminole Origin, 'Sweet Water,' the Clue That Finally Sent Engineers Into Areas Where Inexhaustible Springs Were Found

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

MIAMI, Fla.—The recent extension of Miami's water system to supply the neighboring city of Coral Gables with an abundance of one of the purest waters to be found anywhere has awakened new interest in the story of the strange way in which Miami, which means 'pure water,' made good her name.

After going for years with a meager quantity of unsatisfactory water, Miami about six years ago tapped a seemingly inexhaustible supply of pure spring water which gushed forth at the rate of millions of gallons a minute, having been there, waiting to be used, all the time the city labored under its sense of lack.

For ages, nature had been busy on an engineering project not unlike the one men undertook some years ago when they gathered the pure water of the streams and lakes from the Catskill Mountains into the Ashokan Dam and brought it down to New York City at tremendous costs to provide adequate water supply for the metropolis.

Nature Did the Work

In south Florida nature did this work. It gathered water from the 30,000 lakes that lie in the high central portion of the State, carried it down to Miami in subterranean streams and then left it to filter slowly through the rocks.

During the years 1924 and 1925 the growth of Miami was great. In only a few months a big city with broad thoroughfares and towering structure crowded out the original town laid out on small lines. This rapid growth naturally gave engineers tremendous problems to solve. One of the gravest was that of a water supply. At that time the city's water came from wells about the town and was hard and brakish. The population was growing far in advance of the water supply even though nobody drank the city water. The numerous companies throughcut the country distributing bottled spring water did a flourishing business in those days.

In 1924 the city was so hard pressed for water that plans were made to build an eight-foot redwood main to Lake Okeechobee. The cost of this undertaking was to be between $8,000,000 and $10,000,000. The agitation of this question of a new water supply caused some of the early inhabitants to remember the Seminole legend about how Miami got its name. Nearly everybody knew of the meaning, "sweet water," a strange name, it was often remarked for a place that had no good water at all. But the Seminoles knew their Miami. The legends were to the effect that when the Indians made their camp on the highlands about seven miles northwest of Miami, the chief would ask the braves to dig a spring. They would then make a hole in the ground about the size of a barrel, which would immediately fill with water. A dipperful would be carried to the chief who would drink and exclaim, "Miami, Miami," pure water, sweet water.

Began Investigation

Citizens and engineers, influenced by these stories, began an investigation of the ground structure of the region then known as Country Club Estates, but which the Seminoles had always called "Miami Springs." They found it true that a hole dug in certain places would fill with water. Mr. C. P. Hoover of Columbus, Ohio, a chemical engineer of national repute, came and analyzed the water pronouncing it a pure and perfect drinking water. The firm of Alvord, Burdick & Howson, designing engineers, sank an experimental well over one of these springs. At a depth of 61 feet they discovered the stream that was supplying them. They were afraid this subterranean stream would not be sufficient for a city's needs. They pumped the spring continuously for 30 days and nights. The supply was constant, the water never lowering in the well. This convinced them that the subterranean stream came from the lake district with its 30,000 lakes.

The engineers convinced the citizens of the importance of this discovery. The golf course, under which the streams were found, was purchased by the city and the district given back its old Seminole name of "Miami Springs" and became the seat of the city's water supply. Today there are 14 springs on this golf course. Each spring house has an electric pump, which draws the water from its source and sends it to the big $4,000,000 main water works plant in Hialeah. Here the water is filtered and pumped to storage tanks in the various sections supplied.

Official records in the Dade County Court House state that these 14 wells are from 60 to 80 feet deep and each one has been tested to yield up to 4000 gallons per minute, although they are never pumped at that rate except on initial tests. On experimental tests it was found that a well thus pumped for 10 days continuously failed to pump down or lower the water in other wells of the same depth 500 feet distant. It is pure rain water that has been stored up in these rocks for ages and this supply of drinking water is, inexhaustible, authorities state.

'Gas' on High Seas Escapes State Tax

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 9 (AP)—In an opinion rendered today, a special federal court consisting of Justices George W. Anderson and James M. Morton Jr. of Boston and Ira Lloyd Letts of Providence held that the State of Rhode Island could not lawfully impose a tax of two cents a gallon on gasoline bought outside of the State for shipment here and later reshipment for sale in Massachusetts or Connecticut.

Several months ago the Pennsylvania Petroleum Products Company filed a suit in the federal court here asking that the State be restrained from the collection of $16,800 in taxes that had been imposed on 840,000 gallons of gasoline which the company had purchased from the James B. Berry Sons Company, Inc., Oil City, Penna. The Petroleum Products Company claimed its purchase was an interstate matter and that the sale had taken place on the high seas while the cargo was aboard the tanker J. W. Van Dyke.

The special court stated, "We find as a fact that title did pass while the gasoline was on the high seas. The sale, therefore, was in interstate commerce and the gasoline not subject to the state tax."

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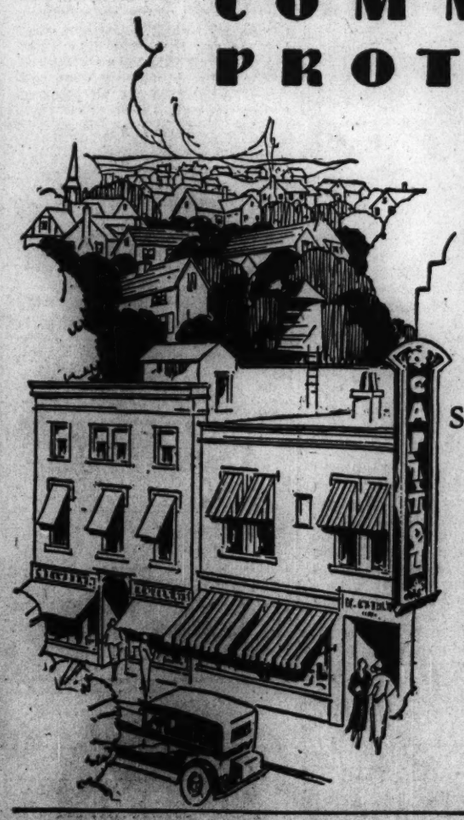

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ARMS KEYSTONE SEEMS TO REST UPON SECURITY

Well-Worn Term Rises to New Importance in Geneva Speeches

By Radio from Monitor Bureau

LONDON, Feb. 9—The well-worn word security appears once more in the eyes of observers here as the keystone of the disarmament arch now that Britain, France, the United States and Germany have offered foundation stones at Geneva.

Observers therefore are all anxious to know what France has in the shape of "concrete proposals" which it promises will be produced "later" on the subject of compulsory arbitration, definition of aggressor and guarantees of rapid joint action against aggression.

In this connection it is pointed out here that while Sir John Simon said the British ideal is "security for all, and security for all fundamentally depends on armament reduction," he carefully refrained from ruling out the possibility of new political measures for increasing the world's sense of security.

As the French make political agreements for "entr' aide," or mutual assistance, against an aggressor the necessary preliminary condition for any measure of disarmament whatsoever, Sir John's reticence on this issue is regarded as a matter of considerable importance.

While some commentators here are busy stressing points of difference between the platforms of the four powers, Downing Street urges the supreme necessity of finding points of resemblance. Following this course it is pointed out here that France, Britain and the United States all agree not only that gas and bacterial warfare should be abolished but also aerial bombing of civilian populations.

And while Britain only urges that the Washington and London naval treaties be kept "intact" until they expire in December, 1936, it is certain Britain would welcome prolongation with proportionate reductions as soon as France and Italy have come into the London treaty.

Again, it is pointed out that not only are Britain and the United States agreed on the necessity of restricting aggressive weapons, particularly heavy guns and tanks, but France is also in favor of doing away with this class of armament in so far as individual nations are concerned.

France, it is true, differs from the other two countries in proposing that heavy guns on warships of more than 10,000 tons, and submarines of more than "N" tons, be held at the disposal of the League of Nations. While Britain, like the United States, strongly opposes the idea of an international police force contained in the French scheme, it is nevertheless observed here that France's police force proposal is contingent on clarification "of rules of an international law at present insufficiently defined."

Acceptance by France of the thesis that nations should restrain aggressive weapons is sincerely welcomed. Another feature of the discussions that has given satisfaction is Mr. Gibson's surprise announcement that the United States is prepared to line up with France and Britain in accepting budgetary limitation of war material as a complementary measure to direct disarmament.

Night Club Equipment Seized Under Old Law

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 9—Local prohibition agents struck a strong blow at illicit liquor interests in the western New York area last Saturday when they invoked an old provision of the internal revenue statutes which permitted them to seize the equipment of a Buffalo night club which was vending liquor. The club is deserted today, nothing left save the plumbing and the walls. The federal men have trucked everything away—bars, furniture and equipment.

The raid was the first of its kind in the Buffalo district since the Supreme Court held legal a similar seizure in New York City last December.

New Swiss Library Is Vast Glass House

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BERNE, Switz.—A peaceful realm of light and study, the new National Library of the Swiss Confederation can be best described as a vast glass house.

Erected opposite the modern gymnasium, the rectangular library edifice draws every available ray of sunshine through its roof and innumerable tall windows. Inside the building the spacious waiting halls, catalogue rooms, reading rooms and terraces are all neatly separated by metal-framed glass walls which convey the impression that the large building is composed of but a single chamber.

The building which the architects have now turned over to the Confederation after six years of work completes a task commenced long ago. The Swiss National Library was founded during the last decade of the nineteenth century by Philipp Anton Stapfer, then Minister of Education. Its original aim was to promote historical research and provide extensive material respecting the progress of a national unity.

Reich Avoids Harsh Words at Conference

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the Disarmament Conference in order to rearm itself in full freedom and tear up military clauses of the Versailles Treaty. It is peace that Germany wants and therefore it hopes that Geneva will succeed in imposing equal disarmament. Naturally Dr. Bruening insisted on the terms of the treaty which lay upon the former enemies of Germany the obligation to disarm.

His speech was excellent and it received more applause than any yet pronounced. This was an indication of the sympathy with the difficult situation of the German Chancellor who is pressed by the extremists in his own country and who is unquestionably, while proving himself a patriotic German, as deeply interested in the welfare of his country as his political adversaries, while at the same time sober and measured in his language and policy.

Undismayed by Difficulties

America's turn was well taken by Mr. Hugh S. Gibson. His speech was that of the realist who does not seek to minimize the difficulties and dangers of the task but who is not, therefore, dismayed. After all, the United States has been one of the leaders in the path of limitation of armaments and it needs no persuasion to continue on that way. The world is carrying too many burdens for it to augment their number and volume unnecessarily.

Mr. Gibson's answer to the objection that the American people do not understand the needs of Europe since they are comparatively safe and remote from the tangle of European relations was very effective. The conference appreciated his point that the system that has been long adopted by Europe has in practice made for war, not peace.

Moreover, the American spokesman gave full value to the protective qualities of the various pacts. While they do not destroy the duty of national defense they reduce to a minimum the forces required.

Limited to Defensive Needs

Nor did Mr. Gibson neglect practical proposals, such as taking the draft convention as a basis for discussion and prolonging existing naval agreements, though this does not exclude further proportional reductions. Like the British America advocates abolition of submarines and lethal gases. America is out for smaller armies supplied with less heavy material. In short, America would put restraint on all the services for offensive fighting and would restrict nations to their purely defensive needs.

Altogether an extremely useful body of opinion and proposals has in these days been got together and those who forecast that the conference would not be able to bring substance and sincerity to these preliminary debates have been mistaken.

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Restraint on Arms of Aggression Emphasized in American Policy

Gibson Says Washington Government Welcomes Any Form of Military Limitation Which Will Contribute to International Security

GENEVA, Feb. 9 (AP)—The address of Mr. Hugh S. Gibson, acting chairman of the American delegation at the General Disarmament Conference today, outlining the position of the United States, follows in full text:

The United States enters the first world conference on the limitation and reduction of armaments with the determination to leave nothing undone to achieve substantial progress. It assumes that the same will predominates among all the nations represented in this conference. Nothing is contributed to our deliberations, indeed our efforts are only clouded with insincerity and pretense, if we fail to acknowledge the difficulties which just now surround the project before us. Part of statecraft is, however, neither to gloss over difficulties and thereby contribute to defeat, nor to invite despair by overemphasis on the difficulties in the foreground.

The situation demands calm consideration of the facts as they exist and courageous efforts to obtain a substantial solution. The impediments are familiar to the most elementary observer of international affairs of this kind. We meet with the necessity of coördinating motives and maturing agreement in a congress of nations larger than has ever before been assembled. We meet under the strain of conomic distresses, international uncertainties and popular emotions which might easily engulf anything smaller in stature than the cause presented here.

Task Demands Determination

Our conference must not be diverted from achieving success on the vital questions by minor differences of a technical nature. The task before the nations of the world is not to minimize these problems, but, fully mindful of them, to gather strength and determination from the conviction that the demand for a régime of international confidence, coöperation and peace will in the end have its way; that the men and nations of our own day who contribute to it will be counted in the end as enrolled in a victorious cause, and that in the long perspective of history those who are today reluctant and preoccupied with smaller interests will stand only as temporary impediments to a world-wide and inevitable movement.

The people of the United States have during the past generation played a useful and leading part in the movement for the limitation and reduction of arms. The Washington conference of 1922 made the first concrete contribution in voluntary limitation. It met the then existing problem of armament at its most acute, its most threatening and its most conspicuous point, and by a restriction of naval armament among the powers who found themselves setting an unhappy example, made a long and decisive stride in the direction demanded by world opinion. Our people at that conference sacrificed, if not a real predominance, at least a potential predominance in weight and strength for warfare. The American people have been proud of the contribution which they made to that pact of temperate conduct and common sense.

Progress at Washington

In the London Naval Conference of 1930 the principle of limitation established for capital ships at the Washington meeting was enlarged to cover the whole field of equipment for warfare at sea by the three most heavily armed of the nations, and some progress was made toward including the two other powers most concerned. We enter the conference today with the practicability of the limitation upon arms established, with the demand for it augmented by general pride and satisfaction in the achievement already made, and with the United States again willing to play its appropriate part in further progress.

The American delegation is prepared to consider any form of military limitation and reduction which promises real progress toward the feeling of international security, protection against surprise and restraint on the use of arms for purposes of aggression.

The burden and dangers of the gigantic machinery of warfare which are now being maintained in times of peace have reached a point where they threaten civilization itself. For two years past the people of every race have been confronted with an economic crisis from which no nation has been free. All the governments of the world have faced reduction of income, unsettled budgets and dangers to the very stability of government itself.

Arms Augment Economic Debacle

The United States while seriously affected by these difficulties has suffered somewhat less severely than many of the other nations. It is today able to maintain the burden of armaments as readily as any of the nations but it views that burden as unnecessary and inexcusable.

No one will doubt the political instability of the world of which these arms are not alone the effect but also the cause. No one will doubt that they not only contribute to the economic debacle but that they threaten the peace of the world. Our American people look upon the statesmanship which permits the continuance of existing conditions as nothing less than failure. The time has gone by when the peoples of the world will long permit the continuance of this failure.

There is a feeling sometimes expressed that the convictions of the United States in this field, the faith of our people in an orderly and stable régime among the nations, and our conviction that the very existence of armaments unbalances the equilibrium, are a product of our geographical isolation and of our lack of experience of an exposure to the rivalries and strains of the European continent.

In answer, the American people point to the fact that the system of competitive armament, of alliances and cross alliances which has existed for centuries in Europe has failed to maintain peace and seems indeed to have been provocative of war, the results of which are such that victors and vanquished are victims alike.

World Knit by Commerce

Furthermore, the altered conditions of international relationships, the development of communication and transport within the last generation to a point where the whole world is knit together by strands of commerce, finance and intimate contact, have today produced new international relationships which are utterly inconsistent with the older methods and formulas. America is convinced that the world should not go on to new movements and new tasks hampered by the garments of an older régime, and that the problem is only how promptly and smoothly mankind will cast aside the weapons and traditions of the old.

In the past every nation has justified its level of armament however high by the claim such levels were necessary for its national defense. Let us not forget, however, that new international commitments of binding force have introduced a new conception of what is needed by a nation for the purpose of defense. Such treaties and commitments bear upon practically all the nations here represented. In view of this new situation calling for new methods and new formulas the lessons of the old strategy must be unlearned in order that we may advance.

The new conception of national armaments has never been put into words in any of our commitments but it is so implicit in their terms that it can be reduced almost to a formula. Every nation has not only the right but the obligation to its own people to maintain internal order. This obviously calls for an adequate military force for internal police work.

Beyond and above this there is the obligation of each government to its people to maintain a sufficient increment of military strength to defend the national territory against aggression and invasion. We, therefore, have this formula, dividing our military forces into two parts. Beyond this reasonable, supplement to the police force we have taken an implicit obligation to restrict ourselves.

Maintenance of Order

Our problem is, therefore, to establish by honest scrutiny and agreement the margin that now exists beyond what is essential for the maintenance of internal order and defense of our territories. Controlled by prudence but not by fear let us then proceed in a practical way to reduce armaments to the level to which we are all committed.

The American delegation has listened with interest to the speeches of Sir John Simon and M. Tardieu and has been interested to note that each of them has begun this general discussion by concrete proposals, setting forth at the very beginning of the conference the contributions, which their governments can make to the cause for which we are assembled.

These proposals and any others which may be put before the conference will be examined with an open mind by my Government and we feel that the best road to success lies in a similar statement from every delegation that has something positive to lay before us so that we may set out upon our labors with the benefit of all the practical proposals which it is possible to bring forward at the outset.

New Questions Avoided

The American delegation has not attempted to formulate and submit any comprehensive plan for overcoming all of the obstacles that exist in the way of achieving a general limitation and reduction in armaments. In the first place, we do not desire to raise new questions which will increase the points of difference and thus delay taking the forward steps which could otherwise be taken. In the second place, we do not believe the human mind is capable of so projecting itself into the future as to devise a plan which will adequately provide for all future developments and contingencies.

Since practically all the nations of the world have now pledged themselves not to wage aggressive war, we believe this conference should and can successfully devote itself to the abolition of weapons which are devoted primarily to aggressive war and we are prepared to give earnest and sympathetic consideration to any plans or proposals which seem to furnish a practicable and sound basis upon which we may effect a general limitation and reduction of armaments and establish a more healty and peaceful state of affairs. It is my purpose today to lay before you certain points which the American delegation advocates. Let me say that this list is not exclusive and contains merely some of the thoughts which we feel will carry on some of the purposes of the conference.

Prolongation of Agreements

1. The American Government advocates consideration of the draft convention as containing the outlines for a convenient basis for discussion, while expressing its entire willingness to give full consideration to any supplementary proposals calculated to advance the end we all seek.

2. We suggest the possibility of prolonging the existing naval agreements concluded at Washington and London, and we advocate completing the latter as soon as possible by the adherence of France and Italy.

3. We advocate proportional reduction from the figures laid down in the Washington and London agreements on naval tonnage as soon as all parties to the Washington agreement have entered this frame work.

4. We advocate, as we long have done, the total abolition of submarines.

5. We will join in formulating the most effective measures to protect civilian population against aerial bombing.

6. We advocate the total abolition of lethal gases and bacteriological warfare.

7. We advocate, as I have already stated, the computation of the number of armed forces on the basis of the effectives necessary for the maintenance of internal order plus some suitable contingent for defense. The former are obviously impossible of reduction; the latter is a question of relativity.

8. We agree in advocating special restrictions for tanks and heavy mobile guns, in other words, for those arms of a peculiarly offensive character.

9. We are prepared to consider a limitation of expenditure on material as a complementary method to direct limitation, feeling that it may prove useful to prevent a qualitative race, if and when quantitative limitation has been effected.

Proportionate Limitation

I have already said these nine points are in no sense exclusive, but I mention them merely in order to focus attention upon the methods in which we have the greatest hope of early practical realization.

These nations of the Western Hemisphere have long since prepared themselves for an international life in which the solution of difficulties will be sought by pacific means only. The problem of armaments is not of the Western Hemisphere. Of the five principal navies of the world, only one belongs to an American nation, and to this navy the principle of proportionate limitation and reduction has been comprehensively applied.

Not a single American nation possesses an army which brings fear to its neighbors. For half a century no international war has occurred between the nations of our hemisphere. There is no surer evidence that self-restraint from over-armament safeguards peace.

Security in Coöperation

There is more security to be had in friendly coöperation between nations than in reliance on force. The best defense a nation can have is the good will of its neighbors. Nevertheless, and in spite of the fact that we ourselves have reduced the personnel of our land forces to a figure below the proportion reached by any great European power, we are here to coöperate to the utmost of our ability.

We are prepared to discuss and to extend to other fields the principles of limitation and reduction of armaments already established and to examine and accept new principles if they contribute genuinely to the end defined.

We join our sister nations with the deep conviction that the cause at issue must not be diverted by lack of frank discussion, by preoccupation with the difficulties in the foreground or by a weak surrender to the obvious impediments to progress. The delegation of the United States is representing not only a Government but a people and the mandate from both is in the same unmistakable terms, the decrease in arms is an essential not alone to economic recovery of the world but also the preservation of the whole fabric of peace.

WOMEN ADVISED TO GUIDE ARMS PUBLIC OPINION

Mrs. Ashby Tells Ways of Strengthening Hands of Delegates

Special from Monitor Bureau

LONDON—"Keep public opinion steady. This is the main necessity. If women can succeed in doing this, they will have done all that is required of them."

This is the answer given by Mrs. Corbett Ashby, British substitute delegate to the Disarmament Conference, to the question, What can women do, while the conference is sitting, to help it along?

Women, it had been pointed out to her, have been active in many ways in the cause of disarmament. They have organized for it vast numbers of large and small demonstrations in countries all over the world; have contributed to it vast quantities of literature written in many languages; have amassed on its behalf vast numbers of signatures to declarations and petitions. What now remains? They are eager for more work—what can be done?

Following her advice to "keep public opinion steady," Mrs. Ashby continued: "The launching of the disarmament declaration during the first few days of the conference will make it plain that there exists a world-wide insistence that the draft convention, as it emerges, shall stand for definite reduction in arms. This insistence must not be withdrawn should delegates show signs, during the difficult discussions which must inevitably arise, of losing sight of their main objective in a maze of technicalities.

"Public opinion must be held strictly to the demand that the convention, however good or bad it may turn out, must at least accept the fundamental that armaments are now an international, not a national, problem."

Mrs. Ashby says that when the delegates of each country arrive at the conference bearing with them quotas of defensive arms which will, in view of the unknown quotas of every other country, be pitched unnecessarily high, then will be the moment for women of adjoining countries to come together with the suggestion that lower arms levels all round would satisfy their sense of security.

"But the most useful piece of work," says Mrs. Ashby, coming back to the point from which she started, "the most useful piece of work for women during the next few weeks or months may be done by them individually, whoever they are, among whatever circle they move, in whatever country they may happen to live. They may keep alive that attitude of thought which invites success. Keep public opinion steady and wide awake—this is the main thing."

Opening for Agreement On Arms Seen by Cecil

By Cable from Monitor Bureau

LONDON, Feb. 9—Although the French disarmament proposals will not "wholly commend themselves to all nations, they definitely afford a material approach and provide ample opportunity for the nations to talk about for some time to come," declared Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, on his return from Geneva yesterday.

Some of the French proposals, "notably those on the submarine menace and bombing from the air, are, I think, likely to commend themselves to the representatives of the nations," Lord Cecil said, adding, "I am distinctly hopeful that before the conference ends it will lead considerably to general reduction in armaments."

General comment here, while regarding some of the French proposals as impracticable, considers others can be usefully incorporated in a completed disarmament plan.

DOAK PLANS TO BAR CHINESE AT BORDER

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9—Mr. William N. Doak, Secretary of Labor, is making preparations to halt the threatened invasion of some 800 Chinese who have been ordered from the state of Sonora, Mexico, and who have declared their intention of seeking to gain admittance to the United States. Mr. Doak was a caller at the White House yesterday.

Immigration officials regard the situation as serious. Sonora officials offered transportation to the Chinese to nearest Mexican seaports, but were informed the Orientals would rather take their chance in running the border into the United States.

The Labor Department declared it was particularly anxious to block this so-called invasion because of a shortage of funds in its immigration bureau's strong box as the result of deporting 1100 Chinese from San Francisco to Hong Kong during the past year at a cost of $127,600.

DEMOCRATIC DELEGATION CUT

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Our numbers could be doubled tomorrow had we more men and women available among the leaders to take in hand the thousands of boys and girls still anxious to join us but for whom we have no officers.

I am therefore deeply grateful to The Christian Science Monitor for its generosity in offering to make our aims and methods more widely known.

I am confident that this will appeal to numbers who had hitherto been unaware of them and who will be glad to take the opportunity thus offered of rendering a worth-while service to their country and kind and to the cause of peace and good will in the world.

Baden Powell of Gilwell
Chief Scout

School Systems Modify Methods of Training To Follow Scouting Program

By DANIEL C. BEARD
National Scout Commissioner
Boy Scouts of America
Special to The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK — Froebel's kindergarten system has revolutionized the education of little children; the Boy Scout movement is revolutionizing the schools; high schools, military schools, the colleges and Sunday and parochial schools have all modified their method of training more or less to correspond with that of the Boy Scouts.

The Boy Scout movement is as real a crusade as that of the knights who invaded Palestine. The world has awakened to the knowledge that its future depends upon the training of the boys of today. The expression "the boys of today are the men of tomorrow" first used in Scouting literature, with all its variations, has spread through and permeated books, editorials, sermons and orations, and in itself indicates how universal is the influence of the Boy Scout propaganda on the thought of today.

The Boy Scouts of America was born of a desire to form an American folklore for American boys, to form a love for the republican form of government among our youth, to form a love for personal honor, chivalry, generosity, helpfulness, bravery and kindness, and last but not least, a love for the big outdoors. In building up this crusade, the command "Thou shalt not" has been forgotten, and we have striven to give the boys things that they like to do, to supersede evil activities in place of calling their attention to wrong by forbidding them to do it, and it is succeeding in all these lines of endeavor.

Everywhere I go, from Boston to San Francisco, from Michigan to Florida and Texas, I note the effect of the Scout movement on the boys, not necessarily upon the Scouts themselves, but upon the schoolboy and the street boy. I also particularly noticed it when I was in England and its effect upon the Scouts from 42 different nations. The Scout movement has, I find, affected the standards of ethics in the colleges, schools and all institutions of learning, including the military schools and West Point itself. The Scout law and the Scout oath have perceptibly colored or modified the codes of honor and customs throughout the world, in some places, of course, greater than others. What Scouting has done for the world is to collate and simplify the acknowledged code of morals and put it in such a language that all can understand.

One must remember that in the colleges and the ministry we now have men who serve their term as Boy Scouts, imbibing the training and meaning of Scouting. Among them are the religious teachers of Jews, Gentiles, Protestants and Roman Catholics, school-teachers, college professors and others in positions where their thought and philosophy do much to impress itself upon the youth and the general public, and inculcate the idea of usefulness in the minds of all.

Daniel C. Beard

Girl Scouts Help Forge Bond of Friendship As World Good Will Service

By JOSEPHINE SCHAIN
National Director of the Girl Scouts in the United States
Special to The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK—Girl Scouting aims to develop happy, healthy young people capable of taking their share of social and civic responsibility. Since no society can rise above the level of its members, this is a definite though indefinable contribution.

It is a fact, however, that a personality, only partly developed, cannot make its full influence felt. Girl Scouting, therefore, through a variety of projects suggested in its program, aims to help each girl find her particular talents and fit herself into her appropriate niche. To do this she must have initiative, self-control and self-reliance.

Service is emphasized in the Girl Scout program. You cannot be a fine woman without being a good citizen, or either without being a good neighbor. In the past year, thousands of instances of help cheerfully given to the destitute prove how well the Girl Scout is learning her lesson in this respect. So great and unstinted was her service that it earned the thanks of the President of the United States.

This sharing with others is one aspect of the coöperation which is so important in the complex society of today. Training in coöperation is an important part of Girl Scouting, and the very form of the Girl Scout troop is ideal for this purpose. Through the system of patrols, into which each troop is divided, the Girl Scout gets a chance to develop leadership within her group and also to learn respect for the rights of others. Never was tolerance more needed than it is in the world today, and nowhere is it instilled better during the formative years than in a Girl Scout troop.

The method of organization is well adapted to reveal the faults of the overtimid or overbold and equally adapted to administer the proper corrective. When, moreover, the girl, as a member of a troop and not as an individual plans a project for the help of her neighbors or the improvement of her town, she is becoming community-conscious and taking her first steps as a responsible citizen.

The Girl Scout is, therefore, forming at the impressionable age the habits which will stand her in good stead in later life. She is learning to be tolerant and open-minded even under trial. The camper who is a good sport no matter what the weather, is equipped to be so, too, no matter what the trouble.

The Girl Scout is taught to be a good citizen of her immediate community, but she is not allowed to forget that she is also a citizen of the world. The World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts, which includes 29 countries, supplies an ideal method of promoting mutual understanding between the young people of different nations. Continuous correspondence, exchange of Scouts and Guides between national camps, and in their future congregation in one international camp in Switzerland, give constant opportunities for studying a different point of view.

The basis of friendliness supplied by the Girl Scout sisterhood easily becomes applied to the nations of which the Guides and Scouts are citizens. In this way there is forged a bond which in years to come will aid in the development of international coöperation.

Scouts' Code of Honor Shows Influence On Others Outside Move

By JAMES E. WEST
Chief Scout Executive, Boy Scouts of America
Special to The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK—Two youngsters were observed in dispute.

"You did!"

"I did not!"

"You DID!"

"I DID NOT!"

"Didn't you do it—Scout honor?"

Tears came into the eyes of the youngster challenged, and his fists began to fly. He began to fight rather than deny something he had done when challenged in the honor of a Scout.

These boys were too young, and it would be several years before they would be eligible to join the Scout movement, but the attitude of their older brothers who wore the neckerchiefs and shorts of Scouting had stamped indelibly on their minds the fact that "a Scout's honor is to be trusted."

This intangible influence of the Scout movement on younger boys, older boys and men—on the mothers and sisters of Scouts—cannot be measured in any statistical table, but it is there. It is a comparatively easy thing to set down the influence of the Scout movement in the development of healthy interest in the out-of-doors; to point to the interest it has aroused in conservation, in the work of the naturalist, the archaeologist; to what it has done toward the preservation of sites of historical interest; to its hikes and ceremonies in tribute to the heroes and makers of our country and its history; or to its efforts, so well known, in the development of international friendships.

A long and imposing list of them can be made, which, together with the activities in which a Boy Scout takes part that gives him an opportunity to develop into a resourceful, reliable and worthy citizen, would in themselves justify the time, energy and resources that the thousands of volunteer leaders have put into the movement since it was organized 22 years ago.

But there has been a subtler influence at work in the Boy Scout movement; a little leaven which has leavened the whole lump. Scout law is the warp and woof of the Boy Scout's myriad activities, and those who know his record of service in disasters, in relief to the needy, in good turns both of need and kindness, in his tradition of heroism, and many similar phases, some spectacular, others modest, know that among boys who have come directly under the influence of the Scout movement, the result has been so splendid as to stand without parallel in the activities of boys of any other generation. Its general effect however, cannot be gauged in these exact terms.

A few pessimists today, as pessimists have done since the beginning of time, mourn the condition of our youth. I find them today, and I have had opportunities of observing them that few people have had, both boys and girls, by and large, a finer group than we have known during our lifetime: fearless, self-reliant, resourceful, earnest.

A sidelight might be found in a comparison of the heroes of the boys of 20 years ago and today. Then the prize-fighter, the baseball player and similar characters in the public eye dominated the boy's choice; in recent times, test after test, made in high schools and junior high schools, has shown that it is the doers of worth-while things that capture the modern boy's ambition—the Edisons, Fords, Lindberghs and the Hoovers of modern life. Or in the fact that the Deadwood Dicks of the reading of another generation are all but gone.

In these, and in dozens of other worth-while ways, the Boy Scout movement has played its part in shaping the course of our youth. Its real test will come when the boys and young men of today come into the direction of the affairs of our own country. After all, the boy of 12 who joined the movement at its founding is now only 34 years of age, and it is the succeeding decades that will first see the true influence of the Scout ideal of "men of character trained for citizenship."

More Than Meets the Eye In Program Sponsored Girl Guide Movement

By LADY BADEN-POWELL
Chief Guide
Special to The Christian Science Monitor

LONDON—I am so very glad that The Christian Science Monitor is finding space in its pages for news of Girl Guide and Girl Scout activities, for there is no doubt that even now, in the twenty-first year of its existence, the movement is not yet fully understood by many people.

They may see Guides and Girl Scouts going about in uniform, they may read of their holding rallies and camps, and they may hear tell of their "good turns," so that in theory the movement is pronounced to be an excellent thing and "keeps the children out of mischief."

But really there is far more in all this than meets the eye, and to those who have brains and hearts that care about the coming generation of women this movement can be of very deep interest, for underlying it all there is a very earnest purpose and great far-reaching good.

The ideal of young girls voluntarily training themselves in health of mind and body, of finding wholesome interests and happiness, and showing helpfulness to those around them has become a concrete fact.

The Christian teachings of "Duty to God and duty to one's neighbor" have been translated into activities suited to the everyday life of the girl, and though the methods may be unusual they have proved themselves to be right, since there are nearly 1,000,000 girls today who are the happier and the better for being keen and eager members of the sisterhood.

Division of Sea Scouts Extends Work for Boys Of From 15 to 21 Years

By THOMAS J. KEANE
National Sea Scout Director, Boy Scouts of America
Special to The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK—It is my privilege to be in charge of the Sea Scout Division of the Boy Scouts of America carrying out the objectives of Scouting among boys from 15 to 21 years of age. I wish it were possible for me to convey the feeling of confidence I have in every one of these young men, in their high ideals, their integrity, their fitness. I am confident that no group of young men in the world could surpass these older Scouts in all of the qualities which a nation hopes for in its youth.

I feel, too, that our country is entering a new era. One in which the high ideals of Scouting will have a tremendous influence. I say this because the first Scouts who were 12 years old in 1910 are reaching the full power of manhood today.

We, who have the privilege of being leaders in this great movement today, are confident that these former Scouts, now adults, and the generation of which they are a part, will bring into the power of manhood with them many of the ideals of the Scout. In so doing they will fulfill the dreams of the founders of the movement; and America will come into her heritage, a government by men of character, trained in citizenship.

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Girl Guides of World Bring National Gifts For Benefit of Others

Special from Monitor Bureau

LONDON — This year the Girl Guide movement comes of age. What has it accomplished in its 21 years? How does it stand today? Where is it going?

"We are really only at the beginning," says Miss S. J. Warner, assistant editor of the Council Fire, the international paper of the Girl Guides and Girl Scouts.

One of the movement's finest accomplishments—possibly the finest—Miss Warner says, lies in its development of what may be called a "Guide point of view."

This point of view is international. It belongs to Guides who have never met, who know no word of one another's language, who are in complete ignorance of one another's customs, but who, because they have been trained under one universally accepted Guide law, are inevitably bound together.

This leads, Miss Warner says, to the recognition of a second accomplishment emerging out of the 21 years—the accomplishment which makes possible the realization that the children of no one nation are in possession of all the world's gifts.

The French Eclaireuses, philosophical reasoners, as are all women of France, are bringing to Guide work the gift of intelligent reasoning as to the why and wherefore of the Guide law and method, and the humor which makes so pleasant an accompaniment to the camp fire of an evening.

From the British Guide come practical contributions—a wide knowledge of camping and of woodcraft, and a helpful ability to apply the Chief Scout's methods of teaching through the use of games.

Polish Guides, indeed all Guides who come from central Europe and from the Baltic states, bring to the movement a knowledge of the value of music. From the forests of central Europe, too, comes the wisdom which belongs to the art of very primitive camping. Scandinavia contributes a knowledge of physical culture.

But one might enumerate, almost endlessly, instances of how the Guides of one country, bringing their national gifts to the movement, have been able to turn these gifts to common account. In the 21 years, the old mistrust of ignorance has turned, by slow degrees, to a new tolerance; and tolerance has developed into a lively appreciation of diversities of gifts between nation and nation.

But what of the future? On the future of Guiding it is with Dame Katharine Furse, director of the World Bureau of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts, one must talk, because, on her own confession, she takes only long views of Guiding—looks only into the future—works only for a time which lies 50 years hence, in the knowledge that yesterday and possibly even today are able to take care of themselves.

"About the future it is only possible to conjecture," she says, "but without wise conjecture it is impossible to grow. Like Miss Warner, I believe that we are at the very beginning of things. I believe this because the youth of the world is only at the beginning of things. Youth has only just discovered itself, and because of this discovery, is joining forces everywhere with its own kind.

"All over the world, at this period, there are youth movements—scores of them. A few are international; more are national; by far the greatest number are purely sectional.

"Among these youth movements, the Guide movement, with its overwhelming mass appeal, has its own line of conduct—the lifting of the spirit of comradeship out of narrowing grooves, and the launching of it upon a course that is world-wide."

Policies of Wide Scope Engage Pan American Union Activity

Organization Which First Convened in 1889 Now Finds Itself Charged With Increasing Responsibilities as Conferences Pile Up Work

Special from The Christian Science Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON—The Pan American Union is virtually the machinery continuously working to carry out the conclusions reached at the various conferences of Latin-American nations, approaching wide scope since the meeting in Havana, Cuba, in 1928.

The union is charged with the responsibility of keeping the records and the archives; with assisting in obtaining ratification of the treaties and conventions; and with preparing the program and regulations for each conference.

Broadly speaking, the duties devolving upon the Pan American Union, in giving effect to conclusions reached at the various international conferences, may be grouped under three general headings:

1. Those relating to the calling of conferences of a special or technical character.
2. Those involving special investigations and preparations of specific reports.
3. Those relating to the deposit of ratifications of the conventions signed at conferences.

Special Conferences

While the Pan American Union has convened regularly since 1889, when it was formed and carried out the duties imposed upon it, 1928 saw the first and most important of a series of special conferences to follow as years passed.

This meeting was held at Washington from Dec. 28, 1928, to Jan. 5, 1929. Twenty nations were represented, their delegates signing a general treaty of inter-American arbitration; a general convention of inter-American conciliation, and a protocol of progressive arbitration.

At the outset of the conference a notable evidence of the unity of spirit prevailing among Latin-American nations was afforded. The meeting offered its good offices to the Governments of Bolivia and Paraguay in the conflict between those two nations over the Chaco boundary issue. Commissioners from countries are now meeting in Washington in an effort to reach an understanding.

In August, 1929, a special meeting of delegates from Latin-American nations was convened in Rio de Janeiro. Here it was that the Pan-American Union, in coöperation with the Pan-American Confederation of Highway Education, a private organization of Engineers, prepared documentary material on the regulation of automotive traffic, including a draft convention, which was submitted for the information of the delegates, and a report on possible routes of an international highway.

In October of this same year, 1929, the Government of Panama convened the Inter-American Highway Conference at Panama. The outcome was the establishment of an Inter-American Highway Commission composed of members of each nation represented. It was decided that surveys should be made to determine the most practical route through the respective nations. A meeting of the commission was held in March, 1931, and engineers have made recommendations of the most feasible route.

With all their deliberations, geography and history have not escaped the attention of these Latin-American nations. At the sixth international conference in Havana, 1928, the Pan-American Institute of Geography and History was founded to serve as a center of coöperation and coördination in geographical and historical studies in the republics. The seat of the institute was established at Mexico City and the first meeting was held there Sept. 16 to 22, 1929. Representatives of 18 nations attended.

Intellectual Coöperation

An Inter-American Congress of Rectors, Deans and Educators also attracted the fancy of the Latin-American representatives, and so it was that from Feb. 20 to 23, 1930, delegates gathered in Havana, laying the groundwork for the Inter-American Institute of Intellectual Coöperation.

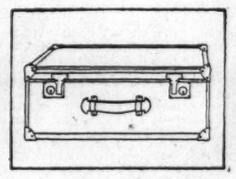
Simultaneously with this conference, the Inter-American Commission of Women was in session in Havana, the meeting extending to Feb. 24, 1930. This body was provided for the purpose of preparing judicial and other information covering the civil and political equality of women on the Latin-American continent. At the conference to be held in Montevideo in December, 1932, consideration will be given to the report of the commission relating to this subject.

Agriculture has found particular attention in the hands of the representatives from the Latin-American countries. No fewer than four proposals in inter-American agricultural coöperation were introduced into the sixth International Conference of American States at Washington in October, 1931. Three were referred to the Pan American Union with recommendations that they be submitted for study to the Montevideo conference, to a commission of experts.

Unstinted Service

Whether held in the Pan American Union Building at Washington or under the auspices of one of the Latin-American governments, members of the union have given their unstinted coöperation at all meetings and conferences. And particularly freely have they given their services to the more complicated issue of the codification of international law. So important is the subject regarded that special provisions have been made in the December program for the Montevideo conference, where the project will be brought forth for consideration.

And, finally, the union has been in constant touch with members of the Pan-American Railway Committee with the view of facilitating the construction of those railway links in Peru, Ecuador, Colombia, Panama, Nicaragua and Costa Rica which remain incompleted in the international railway line now under construction. The governing board of the union has recommended the establishment of a national committee in each country through which the road is to travel. The subject will come before the delegates to the Montevideo conference.



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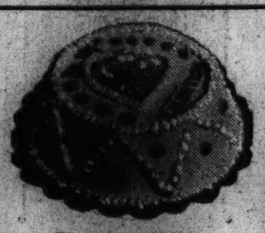

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ALASKA MOVES TO RETAIN ITS FARM STATIONS

Federal Closing Announced for June 30 Rouses Territory to Act

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

JUNEAU, Alaska—In an attempt to save the Alaska agricultural stations, which have been ordered closed by the Department of Agriculture on June 30, 1932, because of the lack of funds, the Territorial Chamber of Commerce has started a movement to induce Congress to provide funds for their future maintenance.

While the chamber will work principally through Mr. James Wickersham (R.), delegate of Alaska, it is also endeavoring to enlist the aid of the Seattle, Wash., Portland, Ore., San Francisco and Los Angeles, Calif., Chambers of Commerce, besides securing the assistance of the President, Vice-President, President pro-tem of the Senate, Speaker of the House, and those senators and representatives who have visited Alaska in recent years.

Mr. M. S. Whittier, executive secretary of the Alaska Chamber of Commerce, calls attention to the fact that "tax-free homesteads in the interior, tax-free homesites in southeast Alaska, coupled with the natural resources inherent in the territory, offer under present conditions, a surer and more satisfactory means of living than in most sections of continental United States."

Also, Mr. Whittier further contends that one of the "natural consequences has been to start a movement of homeseekers toward Alaska."

These people, the Alaska Chamber of Commerce argues, will need, because of different farming conditions in Alaska from those of elsewhere, the valuable assistance of the agricultural experiment stations in Alaska; therefore, it will be detrimental to Alaska to discontinue them.

The following reasons have been presented to Congress for appropriating funds to carry on the experiment work in Alaska and to encourage agriculture throughout the territory:

1. "Alaska should be encouraged to expand its own agriculture to a point of building up an industry large enough to supply its local market.

2. "Development of other industries in Alaska depends in a large measure on lowering the cost of production. The only way this can be done is by lowering the cost of living. Since certain types of agriculture can be carried on in Alaska at less cost than in the States this can be accomplished when the Territory produces enough foodstuffs within its capabilities to supply its own needs, and this production should therefore be encouraged.

3. "The Alaska Railroad, upon which $70,000,000 has already been expended, cannot be made to pay except by the development of industries along its right of way and the support of non-transient, home-building public. There is no reason to believe that there can be any material development of any line of endeavor if one of the basic industries of the country is to be discouraged.

4. "The theory of the Department of Agriculture is that overexpansion is caused by the farming of marginal and submarginal land. Since only a very small fraction of the arable land in Alaska has been homesteaded, there is no danger for many years to come that the marginal and submarginal lands will be sought for farming."

public expenditures should be published from time to time by such associations," Mr. Wright declared, "so that all citizens might know exactly where their communities stand. Only in this way, I believe, can we safeguard ourselves against the devastating effects of political shortsightedness and the sacrifice of principles to expediency."

Mr. Wright called attention to the fact that local operating costs in cities, towns and small units in the United States, rose from $1,944,000,000 in 1913 to $7,280,000,000 in 1931.

Motion Pictures

Fine Arts Theater

Fine Arts Theater—Week beginning Feb. 8, Marlene Dietrich and Fritz Kortner in "Three Loves," a silent screen drama, with English captions, made in Germany. Direction, Kurt Bernhardt. The cast:

Stasha ..... Marlene Dietrich
Dr. Karoff ..... Fritz Kortner
Henry LeBlanc ..... Uno Henning
Charles LeBlanc ..... Oscar Simma
Their Mother ..... Frieda Richard
Poitrier ..... Karl Ettlinger
Angele ..... Edith Edwards

That Boston Dietrich fans favor every opportunity of paying tribute to their favorite was evinced by the extra large audience that was on hand to greet one of her early German pictures. The picture was made in the days Before the Conquest—of America—and is said to be one of her best. Miss Dietrich succeeds in looking striking and starry-eyed, or heavy-lidded, as the script demands. The camera does well by her and omits none of her good points—in looks. As for acting, well, is that really necessary in motion pictures?

Herr Kortner evidently thinks it is. Whatever he may lack in pulchritude he more than makes up for in facial nuance and intelligent use of his stocky frame unrestrained but meaningful movement and gesture. One begins to realize from his work in this picture, which is scarcely worth his talents, the fineness of his achievement in "Karamazov." There his tremendous force was used to better purpose.

The plot of "Three Loves" can be found in one form or another in any popular magazine or scenario of the last 10 years. What interest may be found in it had best be left to the reader's own discovery. It serves to provide a bravura display of a screen personality and some incidental acting by the two leading men. (Uno Henning also shows promise of more important later accomplishment.) Berlin's kinship with Hollywood in matters cinematic grows distressingly apparent. Where are the "art" pictures of yesteryear?

Two of the shorts shown this week are well above average. A Walter Disney comic, "In a Clock Store," is for the most part more truly fanciful and less exaggerated than has lately been the custom with these animated cartoons. The scene of the china figurines dancing a minuet is one of genuine delicacy. Familiar views of Bavaria, also made in Germany and shown with German captions, are brought out of museum stillness by skillful "hunting" of the motion picture camera. M. L.

Coming to Shubert

Miss Katharine Cornell as Elizabeth Barrett in "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," Opening Monday, Feb. 15.

Radio Tonight

EASTERN STANDARD TIME

WEEI, Boston (500kc-508m)

5:00 p. m.—Henry Heald, baritone.
5:15 NBC, "Skippy," children's sketch.
5:30 O'Leary's Irish Minstrels.
6:00 Joe Rine's Orchestra.
6:30 "The Old Painter."
6:35 News; announcements.
6:45 NBC, Stebbins Boys: sketch.
7:00 Archie Lloyd, songs.
7:15 NBC, Campbell Orchestra.
7:30 NBC, Alice Joy, contralto; orchestra.
7:45 The "Clefs."
8:00 NBC, Julia Sanderson and Frank Crumit; guitar orchestra.
8:30 NBC, Magazine sketch.
9:00 NBC, Musical Magazine; orchestra; Fred Hufsmith, tenor.
9:30 NBC, Fuller Man; Mabel Jackson, soprano; Earle Spicer, baritone; Don Voorhees's Orchestra.
10:00 NBC, Walter Winchell, humorist; Irving Aaronson's Commanders from New Orleans, introducing the king and queen of Mardi Gras.
11:00 Forecasts, E. B. Rideout; news.
11:15 Mickie Alpert and his orchestra.

WBZ and WBZA, Boston and Springfield (990kc-303m)

5:00 p. m.—NBC, Maltine story.
5:30 Agricultural markets review.
5:40 "Pied Piper of Radioland."
6:00 Studio announcements.
6:02 Black and Orange Orchestra.
6:15 Talk, Gov. John G. Winant of New Hampshire.
6:30 NBC, Ray Perkins, "Old Topper."
6:45 NBC, Lowell Thomas, Topics in Brief.
7:00 Time; NBC, "Amos 'n' Andy."
7:15 Black Iron Blackbirds, male trio.
7:30 Goldman String Ensemble.
7:45 Legal problems, Gleason L. Archer.
8:00 Frigidarians.
8:15 "Buccaneers."
8:30 Melody Speedway; orchestra; quartet; piano novelty.
8:45 NBC, Sisters of the Skillett.
9:00 NBC, Household Orchestra; soloist; orchestra.
9:30 NBC, "Great Personalities"; Paul De Kruif.
10:00 "Buddy, Neva and Ann."
10:15 Dixie Jubilee Singers.
10:30 NBC, Clara, Lu and Em.
10:45 NBC, Soloists; orchestra.
11:00 Studio announcements; news.
11:15 Egyptian Room Orchestra.
11:45 Paramount organ, Roland Pomerat.

WNAC, Boston (1230kc-244m)

5:00 p. m.—The Dance Parade.
5:15 "Old Man Sunshine"; songs and humor.
5:30 "Musical Mirror"; Helen Barr, soprano; string ensemble.
5:45 Joe Solomon's Orchestra.
6:00 Studio announcements; news.
6:15 Eleanor Talcott, songs.
6:30 Bob Emery's Spelling Bee.
6:45 Orchestra; soloist; speaker.
7:00 CBS, "Myrt and Marge."
7:15 CBS, "Bing" Crosby; orchestra.
7:30 CBS, Kaltenborn Edits the News.
7:45 CBS, Morton Downey, orchestra.
8:00 CBS, The Bath Club: Interview; soloist; quartet; orchestra.
8:15 CBS, Abe Lyman's Orchestra.
8:30 Organ and piano duets; soloist.
8:45 CBS, "Ed" Sullivan; Dick Winfree's Orchestra.
9:00 CBS, Ben Bernie and his orchestra.
9:30 CBS, Mystery sketch.
10:00 Necco Sweet Tones; Edward Jarden, tenor; string orchestra.
10:15 Meyer-Davis' La Paradis Band.
10:30 Joe Solomon's Orchestra.
11:00 Organ recital, Francis J. Cronin.
11:15 Weather; news.
11:30 Jimmie Gallagher's Orchestra.
12:00 CBS, Gus Arnheim's Orchestra.
12:30 a. m.—CBS, Noble Sissle's Orchestra.
1:00 CBS, Freddie Martin's Orchestra.
1:30 CBS, Claude Hopkin's Orchestra.

WAAB, Boston (1410kc-213m)

5:00 p. m.—CBS, "Vivian Ruth."
5:15 CBS, "Meet the Artist," interview.
5:30 CBS, "Sally Sam, the Sailor."
5:45 CBS, "Going to Press."
6:00 CBS, Arthur Jarrett; orchestra.
6:15 CBS, Reis and Dunn, comedy and songs.
6:30 CBS, Charles Boulanger's Orchestra.
6:45 CBS, Biretz Orchestra, soloist.
6:59 Studio announcements; news.
7:15 Joe Solomon's Orchestra.
7:30 Bob Emery; Prof. J. R. Lunt.
7:45 Yankee String Ensemble.
8:00 "The Barber of Seville," Chicago Civic Opera Company.
11:00 Time; news; weather.
11:15 CBS, Columbia Symphony Orchestra.
11:30 CBS, George Olsen's Orchestra.

WEEI, Boston (500kc-508m)

5:00 p. m.—William Lewis, tenor.
5:15 Talk, "Significance of Modern Fire Waste."
5:30 Aloha-Oe Orchestra.
6:00 Ethel Coolidge, soprano.
6:15 "Album of Dreams."
6:30 "The Monitor Views the News."
6:45 "Mirth Quakers," variety.
7:00 "Album of Dreams"; Orrin White, tenor.
7:15 Studio soloist.

Tomorrow's Features

WEEI

8:00 a. m.—NBC, Gene and Glenn.
8:15 a. m.—E. B. Rideout; news.
8:30 a. m.—NBC, Cheerio.
9:15 a. m.—NBC programs.
12:00 noon—NBC, General Electric Home Circle.
12:45 p. m.—Neapolitan Dutch Girls.
1:00 p. m.—"The Daily Tattler."
2:00 p. m.—The Radio Pastor.
2:15 p. m.—Neapolitan Dutch Girls.
2:30 p. m.—New England Kitchen.
3:00 p. m.—NBC, Women's Radio Review.
4:00 p. m.—News and stocks.
4:15 p. m.—Hope James, contralto.
4:30 p. m.—NBC, Phil Spitalny's Orchestra.
4:45 p. m.—NBC, Olympic Games.

WBZ

7:00 a. m.—NBC and studio programs.
8:15 a. m.—NBC, Phil Cook, Quaker Man.
11:00 a. m.—NBC, School of Cookery.
11:15 a. m.—U. S. Navy Band.
11:45 a. m.—John L. Fogarty, tenor.
12:15 p. m.—NBC, Pat Barnes.
12:45 p. m.—NBC, Farm and Home Hour.
1:30 p. m.—Matinee dance.
2:00 p. m.—Songs, Lou Baker.
2:30 p. m.—Symphony Orchestra.
3:00 p. m.—Greater Boston Federation of Churches program.
3:30 p. m.—Home Forum Cooking School.

WNAC

6:30 a. m.—Studio and musical programs.
11:15 a. m.—CBS programs.
12:15 p. m.—CBS, Charles Boulanger's Orchestra.
12:45 p. m.—CBS, Columbia Revue, light opera music.
1:00 p. m.—Studio and musical.
2:00 p. m.—CBS, Aunt Jemima, songs.
2:15 p. m.—CBS, American School of the Air.
2:30 p. m.—CBS, London; talk, Sir Oliver Lodge.
3:00 p. m.—CBS, Edna Wallace Hopper.
3:15 p. m.—CBS, "Four Eton Boys."
3:30 p. m.—CBS, Columbia Salon Orchestra.
3:45 p. m.—CBS, Summary of Olympic Winter Games.
4:00 p. m.—"Spotlighting Modern Education."
4:15 p. m.—CBS, United States Navy Band Concert.

WAAB

7:45 a. m.—Time; news, records; talks.
8:45 a. m.—CBS programs.
11:00 a. m.—Studio and musical.
1:00 p. m.—CBS, Taft Orchestra.
1:15 p. m.—CBS, Advertising Club of New York, luncheon.
2:00 p. m.—Records; shop news; news.
3:00 p. m.—The Rhythm Band.
3:30 p. m.—Women's Federation.
4:00 p. m.—Mary Nevery, soprano.
4:45 p. m.—Francis J. Cronin, organist.

Boston Stage Notes

Miss Katharine Cornell comes into the Shubert next Monday evening with Mr. Rudolf Besier's play of the Brownings' romance, "The Barretts of Wimpole Street." The cast of the long New York run remains intact.

Mr. G. Bernard Shaw's new play, "Too True to Be Good," will have its first performance on any stage at the Colonial, Feb. 29, by the Theater Guild company.

"Elektra," with Miss Blanche Yurka and Mrs. Patrick Campbell, will be presented at the Guild Theater (formerly the Repertory) beginning Feb. 22.

"The House of Connelly" is in its last week at the Tremont.

Anniversary Week at the Fine Arts starts Monday next, with a revival each day of a film chosen by ballot. In addition, Mr. Serge Eisenstein's "Romance Sentimentale" will be shown daily.

Electrical Symphonic Strings

A Solution to Delicate Tone Emphasis; Shipping Signboards—Now 'Time Freezer'

MANY a symphony orchestra conductor has pondered how to reinforce the weaker string sections of his orchestra, i. e., the cellos, basses and harps. Obvious has been the placing of these sections well forward or adding extra players when scores require it. The first method is awkward for seating arrangements, the second too heavy a strain on the overloaded budgets of symphonic organizations.

To Philadelphia's Academy of Music, home of Leopold Stokowski's Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra, last week came Melville Clark, Syracuse musician and business man, with his "musical tone amplifier," a device hailed by many important musicians as the first definite improvement in musical instruments in more than 100 years. It consists of an electrical pickup similar to that used on modern phonographs, a foot pedal control and a portable amplifier. It gives string sections new life, beauty and color, it is claimed, brings up their diapason or tonal body. Furthermore, each individual amplifier is connected to a master resistance on the podium, giving Mr. Stokowski, in the final essay, actual control of the volume of tone produced.

Adoption of Mr. Clark's invention came after two exhaustive tests by the publicity-wise Mr. Stokowski, one of the first to try out new musical instruments created by the vacuum tube. Best results were obtained on the double-bass, cello and harp. Mr. Stokowski now plans to use banks of Clark amplifiers on his string sections.

Some test facts. Middle "C" on the harp, which usually vibrates seven seconds after being plucked, continues singing for 21 seconds when the Clark amplifier is used. The hum tone of a small harp, not audible to the ear, produces with the Clark amplifier a tone comparable to a pedal stop on the organ. This hum tone is an undertone on the harp string, sounding a whole octave lower than the open or fundamental pitch of the string itself.

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Signboards for Shipping

Signboards tell motorists their approaches to and distances from large cities. Similarly must navigators have signboards denoting the entrances to the seaports of the globe. Furthermore, these sea signboards must be readable night or day in all weathers.

Ships coming up the estuary of the Rio de la Plata, entrance to the South American seaports of Montevideo and Buenos Aires, and the Thames, famed foggy entrance to the City of London, are guided by several new "signboards." The Uruguayan Government has purchased three radio beacons, two for lighthouses and one for a lightship. The Uruguayan lightship beacon operates in conjunction with a submarine signal so that navigators can estimate distance as well as direction. A new beacon system has also been set up at the mouth of the Thames.

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A Radio 'Time Freezer'

Newspapers and magazines easily review events of a past year by going back to their files. But how review radio events once they have gone out over the ether? The British Broadcasting Corporation has the answer in its "time freezer," the Blattnerphone. For instance, on the evening of Dec. 31, 1931, the British listeners heard the voice of King George speaking at the opening of a dock in Glasgow in May, 1931. The Prince of Wales speaking on salesmanship, the running commentary on the Schneider Cup Races, the Prime Minister's address on the formation of the National Government and the Armistice Day ceremonies at Whitehall paraded again before the microphone. The Blattnerphone? Simple. The radio program is impressed magnetically on a steel tape at the time of broadcast. The tape can be run through a reproducing device at will.

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Telephone Trade Routes

If a triangle were drawn between London, New York and Montreal, it would be an obtuse-angled affair with its longest leg from London to New York, its shortest leg from New York to Montreal, and its middle length leg from London to Montreal. But for a London banker calling a Montreal banker on the telephone, the longest and shortest legs are needed. The London banker's speech comes to an exchange in quaint Garter Lane in London in the shadow of St. Paul's, goes out to a radio station, where it is put on the air, and arrives at the long-lines exchange building of the American Telephone at 14 Walker Street in busy, bustling, lower Manhattan. Here it goes overland to the splendid new Bell Telephone building in Montreal, and so to the Canadian subscriber.

Now in British trade practice the shortest distance to do business is from home to the colonies directly if possible. Accordingly the telephone system will be made to conform and presently a switchboard marked "Canada" will be added to the London group. A London operator talking directly to Montreal will be seated beside a group of operators whose panels bear the names of North America, Europe and Australia.

Cross-Channel service from England to Europe is now taken care of by 100 circuits as compared to 23 telephone circuits in 1924. Except for certain parts of the Balkans and Soviet Russia a British telephone subscriber can talk anywhere in Europe, the Americas and Australia. Canada is the first telephone finger in a colonial radio telephone service which will embrace South Africa, India and eventually Japan, it is forecast. A. D. H.

Boston Art Notes

Modern French Posters

It is curious that in the commercial poster one should discover sprightly modernisms assimilated from inventions by painters of exclusive coteries. One would imagine the commercial field least interested in abstract tendencies. Yet we may observe how generally poster makers of importance in France have acknowledged modernism. In fact, judging from the current display of their "Street Murals" at the Bookshop for Boys and Girls, they may prove to be the authentic moderns.

Well-known signatures are to be seen—MM. Carlu, Colin, Cassandre, Loupot, Rojankovsky. Each of the designers has a distinctive style, and whether he designs posters for a beverage or a theater he applies himself with great seriousness. Recent improvements in color reproduction help considerably to enrich the quality. Of particular merit are the posters advertising musical subjects by M. Paul Colin. The "Musée Océanographique," by M. Jean Carlu, might appear without change at a Surréalist exhibition and excite some deep response from the æsthetes who would come to see it. Cubes, cylinders, spheres appear often as units of design while one may trace further lines and forms of machines used as appropriate material. The stylizations are concise, vigorous, expressive. They are far more efficient than the subtleties of naturalistic pictures for conveying a selling idea to the greatest number.

Goodspeed's

Etchings of the American desert are to be seen at Goodspeed's Book Shop on Ashburton Place. Mr. George Elbert Burr proves a diligent portrayer of the moods and capriciousness of the desert. With efficacious craftsmanship he draws the clouds, and sands, the cactus and canyons. He is meticulous, concise, a craftsman without pretense who respects his subject and does not try to "do things" with it. D. A.

Theaters

"Young Woodley"

Copley Theater—Mr. Glenn Hunter in "Young Woodley," a comedy in three acts by Mr. John Van Druten, presented by Messrs. E. E. Underhill and E. P. Goodnow with the Copley Players. Begining Feb. 8, 1932. The cast:

Cope ..... Sidney Ball
Vining ..... Joseph Cotten
Ainger ..... Shepperd Strudwick
Milner ..... John Lucas
Woodley ..... Glenn Hunter
Laura Simmons ..... Amy Loomis
Simmons ..... Francis Compton
Parlormaid ..... Georgina Spelvin
Mr. Woodley ..... Aldrich Bowker

When young Woodley brought his shy and diffident self to a typical English boys' school he had to meet the problem of aloneness that accompanies the break from home. Love of poetry brought the sympathetic understanding of the young and attractive wife of the self-absorbed house master, Mr. Simmons. In a moment of loneliness brought about by the mental neglect of her husband, Mrs. Simmons let the boy fall in love with her. Mr. Simmons entered in time to become foolishly suspicious. Ragging by the other boys when the school bounder, Vining, hit upon the hapless affair, led to a burst of temper and the seizing of a bread knife in boyish rage. Young Woodley is expelled.

In the last act his father comes for the boy and, if the play had no other justification, its opportunity to bring to the audience the delightful characterization of Mr. Woodley by Mr. Aldrich Bowker would make it worth while. This father, struggling with his own diffidence, keenly analyzing the situation, piercing the schoolmasterish armor of Mr. Simmons and sympathetically reassuring the boy leaves a most pleasant impression.

Mr. Hunter's masterly portrayal of young Woodley brought warm appreciation from the audience. At the close continual calls brought a curtain speech.

The Copley Players must have found Mr. Hunter as inspiring as did the audience, for they quite outdid themselves, with Mr. Shepperd Strudwick doing a particularly fine job with the part of Woodley's understanding roommate.

Music

"Tristan und Isolde"

Boston Opera House—The Chicago Civic Opera Company last night presented Wagner's "Tristan und Isolde," with this cast:

Tristan ..... Paul Althouse
King Marke ..... Alexander Kipnis
Isolde ..... Frida Leider
Kurvenal ..... Hans Hermann Nissen
Melot ..... Desire Defrere
Brangäne ..... Marie Olszewska
A Shepherd ..... Octave Dua
Conductor ..... Egon Pollak

Last year it was "Meistersinger"; this year (so far) "Lohengrin"; no doubt the opera season will come in which "Tristan" will mark the high point. Meanwhile we may congratulate ourselves on having heard last evening a performance which had the assistance of some fine artists and which at times achieved impressiveness.

Mme. Leider, making her third Boston appearance as Isolde, seemed to have strengthened and intensified her interpretation. She still resorts to gestures associated with what was once called the grand style, but she is able to make dramatically interesting even the Narration, and her voice joins subtle coloring to superb emotional power. Mme. Olszewska, repeating her fine portrayal of Brangäne, completed a distaff side which had all the better of it last night.

Of the men, Mr. Kipnis again carried off the honors. Surely it should be set down as one of his greatest achievements that he can make endurable, and even sympathetic, one of the champion operatic bores. Mr. Nissen's Kurvenal, like his Sachs, has so much to commend it that we long for the little more that might make it outstanding.

In German tenors, the Chicagoans never have been rich. What opera company is? When you think of it, are there any German tenors? For its most satisfactory Walther, Chicago had to turn last year to Belgium. Now it experiments with an American for its Tristan. Mr. Althouse's impersonation was well conceived. His acting in the first act was less stilted than that of most Tristans that have come under our observation. His singing was very uneven. He was most successful with his full voice.

The orchestral annotation had, as in previous seasons, its moments of enucleation. A larger number of strings, more certainty and flexibility in the winds, would multiply such moments. But Mr. Pollak himself has yet to infuse "Tristan" with the inner fire that would make it glow like his "Meistersinger" and his "Lohengrin." L. A. S.

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EVENTS TONIGHT

New England Sportsmen's and Motorboat Show, Mechanics Building, until 10:30, through Feb. 13.

Radcliffe Club, of Boston: Meeting, lecture, "Some New Aspects of Soviet Russia," by Prof. Bruce C. Hopper, Harvard University, Living Room, Agassiz House, Cambridge, 8:15.

"Charity-poverty" ball, benefit Deaconess Hospital, Hotel Somerset, evening.

Longy School of Music: Open house concert by faculty mmebers, 44 Church Street, Cambridge, 8.

Women's City Club of Boston: Dinner meeting, Dr. John H. Lathrop of Brooklyn, guest speaker on "America's Part in the Disarmament Conference," clubhouse, Beacon Street, 6:30.

Y. W. C. A. (140 Clarendon Street): First in series of talks on "Youth and Ideals," led by Dr. Robert E. Coe, sponsored by Adult Education Department, 7.

Appalachian Mountain Club: Supper, followed by illustrated lecture, "Trails of a Fossil Hunter," by Dr. Carroll L. Fenton, Twentieth Century Club, 5 Joy Street, 6.

Engineering Societies of Boston: Dinner meeting, Copley-Plaza Hotel, 6:30.

Harvard University: First in series of Goethe centenary meetings: "Goethe und die moderne deutsche Bildung," by Dr. Eugen Huhnemann, University of Breslau, New Lecture Hall, 8 (open to public).

Arlington Teachers' Club: Presentation of play, "Two Women and Washington," benefit Arlington Visiting Nursing Association, Robbins Memorial Town Hall, Arlington, 8:15.

Music

Boston Opera House—"Barber of Seville," 8:00.

Theaters

Tremont—"House of Connelly." 8:15.
Copley—"Young Woodley," 8:20.
Fine Arts—"Three Loves." Continuous from 1 to 4.

EVENTS TOMORROW

Harvard University: Astronomical Colloquium: "Interpretation of Bright Line Spectra," by Dr. Cecelia H. Payne, College Observatory, Building A, 3:30. First in lectures on great authors, "Homer," by Prof. C. N. Jackson, Emerson D, 4:30.

New England Sportsmen's and Motorboat Show, Mechanics Building, 1 to 10:30 p. m., through Feb. 13.

Reading of Puget's "La Ligne de Coeur," by Mme. Jeanne Roulet-Pavey, home of Miss Grace Nichols, 107 Chestnut Street, 11:30.

Boston Museum of Fine Arts: Modern portrait sculpture, Miss Maginnis, 11.

Boston Rotary Club: Luncheon meeting, address by Dr. Eugene Reid, Hotel Statler, 12:15.

Sarah Hull Chapter, D. R.; annual meeting, election of officers, reading of reports; box luncheon, noon, followed by social activities during afternoon; home of Mrs. John G. Gedding, Newton.

Meeting, Wednesday Morning Club, talk, "Afloat and Afoot in Venice With Byron, Browning and Shakespeare," by Mr. Frank W. C. Hersey, Hotel Somerset, 10:45.

Music

Hotel Statler—John Charles Thomas, baritone, 11:00.

Exhibitions

Museum of Fine Arts, Huntington Avenue—Admission free. Open weekdays, except Mondays, from 9 to 4:30. Sundays 1 to 5. Free guidance in the galleries every day except Monday at 11 o'clock. Special exhibitions. Exhibition of the Ross collection; modern French paintings lent by Mr. John T. Spaulding; Daumier lithographs; selection of modern American prints; Dürer's Life of the Virgin and other German sixteenth century woodcuts; sixteenth century French drawings, engravings by and after Turner.

Isabelle Sewart Gardner Museum, Fenway Court—Open Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 10 to 4, admission 25 cents; Sundays, 1 to 4, admission free.

Casson Galleries, 575 Boylston Street—Lnadscape and marine paintings by Ogden M. Pleissner and etchings by Philip Kappel.

Guild of Boston Artists, 162 Newbury Street—Water colors by Eleanor W. Motley. Through Feb. 13.

Boston Art Club, Dartmouth and Newbury Streets—Contemporary American paintings in oil. Through Feb. 20.

R. C. Vose Galleries, 559 Boylston Street—Recent portraits by Leopold Seyffert. Through Feb. 13.

Grace Horne Galleries, 446 Stuart Street—Drawings and woodcuts of Italy and the Austrian Tyrol, by Katherine M. Gericke. Through Feb. 13.

Schervee Studio, 665 Boylston Street—General print display.

Holman's Print Shop, 5A Park Street—Exhibition of Claude sketches engraved by Earlom. Also a group of photogravures.

Doll & Richards Galleries, 158 Newbury Street—European sketches by Kay Peterson. Through Feb. 13. Paintings of ships and the sea by Frank Vining Smith. Through Feb. 16.

For other exhibitions, see Monday's Monitor

WEATHER

U. S. Weather Bureau Report

Boston and Vicinity: Fair and continued cold tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy with rising temperature; moderate to fresh westerly winds, shifting to east, and south Wednesday; minimum temperature tonight near 18.

Maine: Partly cloudy and colder in north portion tonight; Wednesday cloudy with slowly rising temperature, followed by snow.

New Hampshire and Vermont: Increasing cloudiness, followed by snow late tonight or Wednesday; rising temperature Wednesday.

Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Partly cloudy and continued cold tonight; Wednesday cloudy with slowly rising temperature.

Atlantic coast, north of Sandy Hook: Fresh north, shifting to northeast and east winds; weather partly overcast tonight; overcast Wednesday.

Official Temperatures

	A	B		A	B
Atlantic City	38	58	Nantucket	24	46
Bismarck	4	8	New Orleans	66	84
Boston	19	45	New York	26	54
Buffalo	18	38	Norfolk, Va.	38	62
Charleston	54	74	North Platte	28	44
Chicago	30	36	Philadelphia	28	62
Cincinnati	28	46	Phoenix, Ariz.	58	64
Denver	50	56	Pittsburgh	26	42
Eastport, Me.	8	36	Portland, Me.	14	32
Hatteras	46	66	Raleigh	40	66
Honolulu, T.H. (7 p.m. Feb. 8	70	78	St. Louis	36	36
Helena, Mont.	30	44	St. Paul	24	24
Huron, S. D.	26	28	Salt Lake City	42	44
Jacksonville	66	80	San Francisco	48	50
Kansas City	44	44	Santa Fe, N.M.	42	48
Key West	74	84	Seattle	40	44
Los Angeles	54	58	Tampa	66	80
Memphis	50	60	Washington	30	44
Miami, Fla.	64	80	Wichita, Kan.	46	52
Montreal	-2	36	Williston, N.D.	10	18

A—8 a. m. eastern standard time Feb. 9. B—Maximum, Feb. 8.

High Tides at Boston

Tuesday 1:16 p. m., Wednesday 1:38 a. m. Height of tides 9.5 feet, 9 feet.

Light all vehicles at 5:38 p. m.

Taxpayers Urged To Examine Costs

Special from Monitor Bureau

NEW YORK, Feb. 9—The establishment in every community of a taxpayers' association to scrutinize every expenditure made by the local government and declare whether or not it was absolutely necessary, is suggested by Mr. Gage P. Wright, editor of the Business Economic Digest, as the most effective method of checking the rising cost of government.

"Full and simple explanations of public expenditures should be published from time to time by such associations," Mr. Wright declared, "so that all citizens might know exactly where their communities stand. Only in this way, I believe, can we safeguard ourselves against the devastating effects of political shortsightedness and the sacrifice of principles to expediency."

Mr. Wright called attention to the fact that local operating costs in cities, towns and small units in the United States, rose from $1,944,000,000 in 1913 to $7,280,000,000 in 1931.

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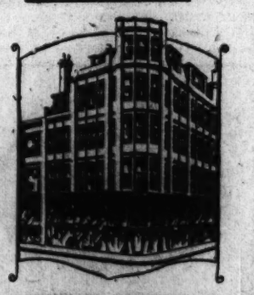

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THE HOME FORUM

The House of Elegance

THEY have made two new bathrooms, with showers; they have pulled down the barn and erected a double garage; they have wired the old house for electric lights. And yet, as I stand in the cold room over the porch, while the empty squareness of the walls becomes darkened and indistinct, and a plume of snow, sliding off an elm branch, makes a soft sound, as of hands, upon the window pane, an indefinable quality, a quality which I can only describe as the fragrance of a past elegance, pervades and enriches every inch of space.

Tomorrow a real estate agent and an architect will come with the new owner, in a shiny limousine, measure this thing and that, lose the foot rule and the screw driver, and find them both again. They will tear down the quaint pastels of apples and grapes and pears which Lydia Roberts, at twelve, so painstakingly excuted.

Memories rise from the dusk. Great Aunt Lydia in the dining room window, passing her tatting shuttle swiftly over and under; and Great Uncle Greenleaf in the parlor, endlessly, but gently, picking tunes —a note here, a note there, a phrase, a bar, the entire air; a new song, sentimental and commonplace enough, to be put into manuscript form and sent to the obscure publishing house in Ohio, which will include it in an equally inferior miscellany and publish it, with meager profit, under a beguiling photograph of "Coney Island Lil."

Only the two of them could remember the house in its original splendor. They had long ago built partitions and rented sections of it to people whom they never visited and who never came to call. Without a servant or a vacuum cleaner, they found eight rooms enough and to spare for their modest needs. Trolley cars rattled along where once a stream had wandered; the orchard had given place to a flourishing gasoline station; and the lights of a motion picture theater glared from across the street at the crumbling shutters. To stand on the worn wood step, while trucks rumbled by so close as to shake the old foundation, and, having pressed the bell, to wait for what seemed ten minutes while someone lit a gas jet and unbarred the door; to watch the glass knob turn cautious and a gradually widening aperture appear between the panel and the frame; and then to step inside and find such utter quiet that the shrieking, jangling traffic seemed a thing of another world,—all this is an experience to remember.

The wall paper in the hall was falling off in patches; the banisters sorely needed the aid of a carpenter; if you lifted up "Wordsworth's Complete Works," you discovered a threadbare spot in the table cover; and the few silver spoons and forks which Great Uncle Greenleaf nightly carried up to his bedroom, were worn and battered and bent. When it rained, the roof leaked in the attic.

Whatever the source of inspiration, whether these conditions in themselves, or the delightful gift of imagination which translated them into more enviable circumstances, nothing succeeded in destroying Great Aunt Lydia's conviction that she moved in an elegance unsurpassed in the town of Brigdenford. For all that charmed her eye, for all that warmed her heart, and for all that impressed her as beyond the reaches of ordinary speech, she reserved one suitable, comprehensive adjective. Nothing, in her estimation, could scale the heights or fathom the depths of rhetorical description so satisfactorily as the one word—"elegant."

The rounded paper design from a box of Cape Cod crackers became a decorative plaque above the mantelpiece. She would chat for hours, her tatting increasing accordingly, with another member of the Daughters of the Settlers of Brigdenford, and never once inform her caller that the red blossoms on her begonia, which were being so much admired from the distance, were made of crêpe paper and had been tied on by her own fingers that morning. "Ain't they elegant?" she would say, and busily ply her shuttle.

There were vases, pitchers, bowls which she had painted when a girl —monstrous examples of the potter's craft—the ugly proportions of which no amount of her delicate brushwork could improve. There were youthful water-color drawings, and vivid silhouettes; a silent collection, poignant in their spare delineation of the suppressed artist beneath the placid exterior.

Once a new minister had called on her unexpectedly and had rung the bell repeatedly, without any response. Great Aunt Lydia was hanging out clothes in the backyard, in gingham apron and cap, when the resourceful young clergyman had wandered around in the effort to learn something of the family, none of whom he had met and whose names occurred so frequently in the church records.

"Is Mrs. Parsons at home?" he had inquired of the gingham-clad clothes-hanger.

"She will be in half an hour, Sir," had come the quick response, and Great Aunt Lydia had ushered him, in proper servant style, into the parlor and offered him a chair.

He had waited the full half-hour, when his hostess had calmly entered the room, dressed in her very best clothes, and received him as a perfect stranger. Not a word had been said by either, during the twenty years of acquaintance which followed that first call, of the manner of their meeting.

Her table, never epicurean, of necessity grew simpler as the years went by. Morning after morning, surveying the unvarying assortment of oranges, cereal and baked beans, Great Uncle Greenleaf would inquire, after tucking his napkin in securely: "What you got thar, Lydia?" And Great Aunt Lydia, very stately, at the opposite end of the table, would pour hot water over his shredded wheat and say, as she passed it to him: "The beans are *elegant* this morning."

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I have been leaning against the window. The vapor of my breath has clouded its transparency. Through the semi-opaque panes of glass the leafless twigs leap, wind-driven, like fingers clutching at the grayness about them, but catching—nothing. Now there is only a leaden panel; and the room is dark and empty.

Tomorrow the real estate agent, and the architect will come with the new owner, in a shiny limousine.

P. P. S.

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Emily Dickinson

She was a butterfly with rainbow wings
That fluttered in our garden one brief day,
But we were fashioned for accustomed things
So did not mind her till she flew away.

Then, like a ring of rustics thoughtful grown,
We searched with wistful eyes the vacant blue
And told how fair she was as blossom blown
Or star dust or the opalescent dew.

Old fields of clover dim with tumbling bees
Were things we long had known and nothing more,
But she has tipped with wonder such as these
Till heaven stretches just without the door.

KATHRINE HYMAS WILLIAMS.

In Don Pablo's Town, Segovia

The old streets and byways of Segovia are as picturesque and as replete with character as any in Spain. Hidden away in them you will find ancient house-fronts diapered with rich patterns in stucco, relics of the Moorish occupation, and Gothic façades five centuries old, while in the smaller squares you will come upon palaces whose stout masonry and heavily grilled windows have withstood every assault of time and man — palaces whose grim façades, with their massive scutcheoned doorways, hide behind their ruggedness warm patios, sun-baked, decorated with tiles and ornate balustrades, and planted with palms and flowering shrubs.

It is in these streets of Segovia that Quevedo lays the scenes of his masterpiece, "El Gran Tacaño," a classic that the Spaniards rate only second to Cervantes's immortal story. Piece of realism that it is, with its biting sarcastic philosophy hidden under a cloak of broad humor, it might have been signed by any one of the realists of today, so true to life do its pictures remain. And as you walk about these streets and watch the people in them, you will still find his types extant and will fancy Cabra's school shut up behind some grim façade, or Don Pablo's uncle living in one of the noisome alleys; or in some passer-by, proud, though dressed in well-brushed, threadbare clothes, you will recognize old Don Torribio, the penniless hidalgo, who, existing by his flattery and his wit, gravely bows to the ladies in their black mantillas as they pass him.

And so I always think of Segovia as Don Pablo's town (the French translation of Quevedo's work bears on its title "Don Pable de Ségovie"), and see in its streets the backgrounds of Daniel Vierge's unequalled drawings, to my mind the greatest masterpieces of modern illustration.

Segovia has further claims to artistic laurels. Its craggy hill-slopes, its austere buildings, its far-reaching horizons have tempted the greatest modern Spanish painter, Ignacio Zuloaga, to leave his native town Eibar and take up his residence in it. For years he wandered over the rugged face of Spain in quest of the picturesque, then made up his mind that, of all the Spanish cities, matchless Segovia best suited his aesthetic liking.—From "Through Spain and Portugal," by ERNEST PEIXOTTO.

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Rag Pickers, Salem: From an Etching by A. Conway Peyton

Joan Runs Away to Play

Joan got up early in the morning when the house was still dim with the last shreds of darkness. Before leaving, she wrote a note to Aunt Nellie in a large, slightly wobbly hand: "I am going away to play. I will come back." And then, after a moment's consideration, "I am very sorry," which was quite true in one way, but not at all so in another!

She left by the side door because it was easy to unfasten and didn't squeak uproariously like the others. Outside it was all silent and beautiful, a silver-gray morning with sheets of mist and leafy things everywhere dripping with dew. And over the world a great wide sky, very cool and pale.

Joan raced down Longfellow Street, her bare feet making sharp flaps of sound in the quietness. . . .

When the street stopped being a street and became a country road with brown earth, damp and deeply rutted, she dropped into a dawdling gait, standing still every now and then to sniff things and watch things and love things.

Out toward a black pine grove there was another house, half-farm. She met a boy coming from it along the road. He was driving cows, big, glossy ones with little tinkling bells under their chins, flashing silver.

"Hullo," said the boy.

"Hello," said Joan. "May I pat your cows?" She stood on tiptoe and patted them, each one individually so that none of their feelings would be hurt.

The boy watched her a little blankly. He was a nice boy with thick creamy hair and tanned skin the color of russet apples. "Are you lost?" he asked.

"No," Joan explained patiently, "I am not lost; I am playing a game."

After a while she got up and approached the back door of the house amid a general flurry of chickens. Breakfast smells flowed out in waves upon the morning air. She stood on the steps and pressed her nose against the screening, sniffing like a small puppy. The little boy with the creamy hair and tanned skin came back across the yard and doused himself at the pump. It looked nice, so Joan came down and did it too. The water was sharp and cold and flashing, and a great deal of it went down her neck. She jumped up and down and laughed while the boy watched her blankly.

"Are you hungry?" he asked.

Enticing smells flowing out on the morning air—savory and pungent—Joan sniffed again. "Yes," she said. "Can I please have breakfast with you?"—From "Children of the Wind," by DORIS PEEL.

DRAMATIC in subject interest is this etching by Mr. A. Conway Peyton, with its complete unconsciousness on the part of the persons involved that they are observed. The driver of the wagon is hauling up a heavy bag full of salvage while his companion pushes up the burden from below. This passage of movement between the two men is in itself of compositional interest, both because of the action implied, and because of the opposition of a strong vertical mass to the horizontal mass of the patient horse. Since the emphasis of darker accents is on the horse, we take it that the artist was dominantly interested in the animal. With appreciation of service has he realized this horse in every part, strongly modeling the shadows and discovering a charm of rhythmic line in the handling of the mane. It is to be noticed that the horse is carrying most of his weight on three legs, with the right hind quarters relaxed, a way these animals have of resting.

Although this picture has a southern air, judging from the accessories of the fanlight doorway, with a Negro woman standing arms akimbo in front of it, and a pair of bantams having an argument on the sidewalk, it might represent a scene in certain quarters of the Massachusetts city of Salem, as well as in the city of Winston-Salem in North Carolina. But entirely apart from such descriptive considerations, we have here a poetic tribute to the usefulness of the horse in one of his most humble capacities, and it is that tribute that makes of Mr. Peyton's etching something rich in content as well as in execution.

The Influence of Björnson

If Björnson's essential teaching may be found in a single page, as has above been suggested, his personality evades all such summarizing. In the present essay, he has been considered as a writer merely, —poet, dramatist, novelist,—but the man is vastly more than that. His other activities have been hinted at, indeed, but nothing adequate has been said about them. The director of three theaters, the editor of three newspapers, and the contributor to many others, the promoter of schools and patriotic organizations, the participant in many political campaigns, the lay preacher of private and public morals, the chosen orator of his nation for all occasions,—these are some of the characters in which we must view him to form anything like a complete conception of his many-sided individuality.

Take the matter of oratory alone, and it is perhaps true that he has influenced as many people by the living word as he has by the printed page. He has addressed hundreds of audiences in the three Scandinavian countries and in Finland, he has spoken to more than twenty thousand at a time, and his winged speech has gone straight home to his hearers. All who ever heard him will agree that his oratory was of the most persuasive and vital impressiveness. Jaeger attempts to describe it in the following words:—

"It is eloquence of a very distinctive type; its most characteristic quality is its wealth of color; it finds expression for every mood, from the lightest to the most serious, from the most vigorous to the most delicate and tender. . . . With a single cadence, or a play of the facial muscles, or a slight gesture, he can portray a person, a situation, or an object, so that it appears living in the sight of his hearers. And what the word alone cannot do, is accomplished in the most brilliant manner by the virtuosity of his delivery. He does not speak his words, he presents them; they take bodily form and seem alive."

In his more intimate relationships, on the other hand, in face to face conversation or in the home circle, the man takes on a quite different aspect; the prophet has become the friend, the impassioned preacher has become the genial story teller, and shares the gladsome or mirthful mood of the hour. —WILLIAM MORTON PAYNE, in "Björnstjerne Björnson."

La Substance d'une Idée

Traduction de l'article anglais de Science Chrétienne paraissant sur cette même page

CHAQUE pays, chaque ville, chaque maison de commerce, institution, une église ou gouvernement, a quelque entreprise encore incomplète, quelque travail en voie d'achèvement. A mesure que le besoin s'en fait sentir, de nouvelles routes sont prévues et construites pour l'usage du public. Les cités veillent à l'amélioration des bâtiments et des rues. D'anciens immeubles sont démolis pour faire place à des bureaux modernes, car le progrès exige ces transformations et ces améliorations. De même, dans la vie des individus, il se fait un travail aboutissant à des perspectives plus larges, à l'accomplissement d'un idéal. Peut-être le caractère se forme-t-il ou se transforme-t-il. L'expérience nous donne de précieuses leçons; elle nous fait mettre de côté bien des choses sans valeur, abandonner la volonté propre et l'intérêt personnel; et c'est ainsi que l'or du caractère humain est mis en lumière.

Humainement parlant, un homme peut donner de l'extension à ses affaires; les individus peuvent développer leurs facultés latentes et modeler les phases de leur propre expérience; mais les idéals humains restent bien au-dessous de la perfection. Il existe cependant une autre conception, propre à stimuler les efforts humains. Ce nouveau point de vue prend comme base la réalité absolue ou fondamentale telle qu'elle existe dans l'Entendement divin. "Elle était au commencement avec Dieu. Toutes choses ont été faites par elle et rien de ce qui a été fait n'a été fait sans elle." Dans tout travail inspiré par Dieu, quel merveilleux encouragement que ces paroles: "Elle était au commencement avec Dieu"! Divinement parlant, cet idéal auquel nous nous efforçons d'atteindre existe déjà, parfait et complet, dans l'Entendement. A la page 257 de *Science et Santé avec la Clef des Ecritures (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures)*, Mrs. Eddy écrit: "L'Entendement crée Sa propre ressemblance en idées, et la substance d'une idée est bien loin d'être la prétendue substance de la matière non-intelligente. Partant, l'Entendement-Père n'est pas le père de la matière."

Le genre humain s'est toujours efforcé d'établir des idéals pour le bien de l'humanité. Le monde d'aujourd'hui recueille les fruits de ce labeur. Il a fallu avancer pas à pas, vaincre chaque difficulté, défricher des terrains incultes; et cependant l'idéal que les hommes s'efforçaient d'atteindre et dont ils avaient entrevu la vérité, a été de tout temps un fait éternel dans le vaste royaume des idées de Dieu.

Le compositeur entrevoit l'idée d'une symphonie capable d'élever et d'inspirer les foules. Ce chef-d'œuvre lui a peut-être été révélé dans la fournaise d'une épreuve qui a détruit quelques-uns de ses trésors terrestres. Quoi qu'il en soit, le musicien a perçu dans une certaine mesure les accords triomphants et harmonieux de l'Entendement — les seuls qu'on puisse réellement entendre. A mesure que l'humanité parviendra à une pureté plus grande, ces légions d'idées divines qui sont les faits immuables de l'Esprit, se révéleront à la conscience humaine dans leur perfection primitive.

Jour après jour, la pensée s'élève jusqu'à des sphères plus hautes; l'humanité laisse derrière elle ce qu'elle regardait autrefois comme la norme des idéals et des vues orthodoxes. Après les angoisses de la guerre et de ses suites, le genre humain est prêt à regarder en haut, à se détourner d'un plan d'action matériel et terrestre pour contempler le plan divin de la fraternité universelle et le christianisme du Christ. Nous voyons poindre à l'horizon de la pensée les effets d'une plus haute compréhension de Dieu et de l'homme. Partout le levain de la Vérité est à l'œuvre. Si les uns paraissent peu enclins à quitter les anciennes ornières, d'autres, plus éclairés, tournent leur regard vers la révélation de la création parfaite de Dieu, vers le déploiement de Son œuvre déjà achevée.

Qu'il s'agisse d'individus, de sociétés ou de nations, s'ils élèvent ainsi leurs regards, ceux qui sont accablés verront venir d'en haut la solution complète de tous les problèmes—en "Christ, la vraie idée de Dieu" (*Science et Santé*, p. 54). Si les fardeaux humains sont lourds, si la crise commerciale cause des alarmes, si les bouleversements nationaux et internationaux semblent produire des situations inquiétantes, les idées divines qui percent les nuages du sens matériel se révèlent cependant à la perception humaine. Il est certain que la compréhension de la Vérité peut jeter aujourd'hui ses premières lueurs sur toutes les situations; on commence à voir que Son gouvernement est représenté sur la terre, et que l'unique Entendement, reflété par l'homme, unira toutes les nations et tous les peuples.

Mrs. Eddy écrit à la page 260 de *Science et Santé:* "Les conceptions de la pensée mortelle erronée doivent céder à l'idéal de tout ce qui est parfait et éternel. A travers bien des générations, les croyances humaines atteindront des conceptions plus divines, et le modèle immortel et parfait de la création de Dieu sera finalement reconnu comme la seule conception véritable de l'être."

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In a Valley of the Marquesas

I chanced to push aside a branch, and by so doing suddenly disclosed to my view a scene which even now I can recall with all the vividness of the first impression. . . .

From the spot where I lay transfixed with surprise and delight, I looked straight down into the bosom of a valley, which swept away in long wavy undulations to the blue waters in the distance. Midway towards the sea, and peering here and there amidst the foliage, might be seen the palmetto-thatched houses of its inhabitants, glistening in the sun that had bleached them to a dazzling whiteness. The vale was more than three leagues in length, and about a mile across at its greatest width.

On either side it appeared hemmed in by steep and green acclivities, which, uniting near the spot where I lay, formed an abrupt and semicircular termination of grassy cliffs and precipices hundreds of feet in height, over which flowed numberless small cascades. But the crowning beauty of the prospect was its universal verdure; and in this indeed consists, I believe, the peculiar charm of every Polynesian landscape. Everywhere below me, from the base of the precipice upon whose very verge I had been unconsciously reposing, the surface of the vale presented a mass of foliage, spread with such rich profusion that it was impossible to determine of what description of trees it consisted.

But perhaps there was nothing about the scenery I beheld more impressive than those silent cascades, whose slender threads of water, after leaping down the steep cliffs, were lost amidst the rich herbage of the valley.

Over all the landscape there reigned the most hushed repose, which I almost feared to break, lest, like the enchanted gardens in the fairy tale, a single syllable might dissolve the spell. For a long time, forgetful alike of my own situation, and the vicinity of my still slumbering companion, I remained gazing around me, hardly able to comprehend by what means I had thus suddenly been made a spectator of such a scene.—From "Typee," by HERMAN MELVILLE.

Canis Major

The great Overdog,
That heavenly beast
With a star in one eye,
Gives a leap in the east.

He dances upright
All the way to the west,
And never once drops
On his forefeet to rest.

I'm a poor underdog,
But tonight I will bark
With the great Overdog
That romps through the dark.

—ROBERT FROST, "Collected Poems."

The Substance of an Idea

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EACH country and city, business house and institution, church and government, has some unfinished work in hand, something in the making. Plans for the building of new highways are being put into operation for the convenience of all, as the demand for them increases. Cities are watching the improvement of buildings and streets. Old business houses are being demolished and new ones erected, for progress demands new developments and improvements. In individual lives, also, a more expansive outlook or some ideal is being worked out. Perhaps a character is being formed or transformed. Experience is teaching valuable lessons, is causing much dross to be thrown aside, much self-will and self-interest to be abandoned, and the gold of human character to come to light.

Speaking from a human standpoint, man builds up his business, individuals develop their characters and form their own experiences; but human ideals fall far short of perfection. There is another standpoint, however, and one which quickens human effort. It is to start out from the basis of absolute or fundamental reality as it exists in divine Mind. "The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made." What a marvelous incentive to all God-inspired work is this—"The same was in the beginning with God"! Divinely speaking, the ideal we are striving to attain already exists in all its perfect completeness in Mind. On page 257 of "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" Mrs. Eddy writes: "Mind creates His own likeness in ideas, and the substance of an idea is very far from being the supposed substance of non-intelligent matter. Hence the Father Mind is not the father of matter."

Mankind has always striven to establish ideals for the good of humanity. The world of today inherits the fruits of their labors. But though every footstep had to be taken, every difficulty overcome, every bit of wilderness reclaimed, yet the truth about the ideal which they dimly glimpsed, and for which they strove, was a forever fact in God's great kingdom of ideas.

A composer glimpses the idea of a symphony which may uplift and inspire multitudes. Perhaps this masterpiece has come to him in the fire of an experience whereby some treasure of earth has fallen to ruins. Whether or no this be so, he has faintly caught the strains of Mind's triumphant harmonies—all that can be heard in reality. As humanity reaches out for greater purity, hosts of divine ideas, fixed facts in Spirit, will unfold to human consciousness in their primal perfection.

Day by day thought is rising to more exalted realms; humanity is outgrowing that which was formerly held as standard or orthodox ideals or views. Having gone through the throes of war and its aftermath, mankind is ready to look up and away from a material and earthly plan of action, towards God's plan of universal brotherhood, and Christ's Christianity. We see rising on the horizon of thought the effects of a higher understanding of God and man. Everywhere the leaven of Truth is at work. Though some seem loath to let go of old ways, others, more enlightened, are turning to the revelation of God's perfect creation—to the unfoldment of His finished work.

Thus, looking up, the oppressed, whether individual, community, or nation, may see coming from above the complete and perfect solution to all problems—"in Christ, the true idea of God" (Science and Health, p. 54). Though earthly burdens weigh heavily, though trade depression alarms, though national and international upheavals seem to cause perplexing situations, yet, breaking through the clouds of material sense, divine ideas are unfolding to human apprehension. Surely, the understanding of Truth may dawn on every situation today; His government may be seen represented on earth; and the one Mind, reflected by man, may be beheld uniting all nations and peoples.

Mrs. Eddy writes on page 260 of Science and Health: "The conceptions of mortal, erring thought must give way to the ideal of all that is perfect and eternal. Through many generations human beliefs will be attaining diviner conceptions, and the immortal and perfect model of God's creation will finally be seen as the only true conception of being."

(In another column will be found a translation of this article into French)

Jack Lizard

JACK LIZARD was about Fifteen when he was first entered in the University, and being a Youth of a great deal of Fire, and a more than ordinary Application to his Studies, it gave the Conversation a very particular Turn. He had too much Spirit to hold his Tongue in Company; but at the same time so little Acquaintance with the World, that he did not know how to talk like other People.

AFTER a Year and half's stay at the University, he came down among us to pass away a Month or two in the Country. The first Night after his Arrival, as we were at Supper, we were all of us very much improved by *Jack's* Table-Talk. He told us, upon the Appearance of a Dish of Wild-Fowl, that according to the Opinion of some natural Philosophers they might be lately come from the Moon. Upon which the *Sparkler* bursting out into a Laugh, he insulted her with several Questions relating to the Bigness and Distance of the Moon and Stars; and after every Interrogatory would be winking upon me, and smiling at his Sister's ignorance. *Jack* gained his point; for the Mother was pleased, and all the Servants stared at the Learning of their young Master. *Jack* was so encouraged at this Success, that for the first Week he dealt wholly in Paradoxes. . . . In short, no Day pass'd over our Heads, in which *Jack* did not imagine he made the whole Family wiser than they had been before.

THAT part of the Conversation which gave me the most Pain, was what pass'd among those Country Gentlemen that came to visit us. On such Occasions *Jack* usually took upon him to be the Mouth of the Company; and thinking himself obliged to be very merry, would entertain us with a great many odd Sayings and Absurdities of their College Cook. I found this Fellow had made a very strong impression upon *Jack's* Imagination; which he never considered was not the Case of the rest of the Company, 'till after many repeated Tryals he found that his Stories seldom made any Body laugh but himself.

I all this while looked upon *Jack* as a young Tree shooting out into Blossom before its Time; the Redundancy of which, though it was a little unseasonable, seemed to foretel an uncommon Fruitfulness.

IN order to wear out the vein of Pedantry which ran through his Conversation, I took him out with me one Evening, and first of all insinuated to him this Rule, which I have my self learned from a very great Author. *To think with the Wise, and talk with the Vulgar, Jack's* good Sense soon made him reflect that he had often exposed himself to the Laughter of the Ignorant by a contrary Behaviour; upon which he told me, that he would take Care for the Future to keep his Notions to himself, and converse in the common received Sentiments of Mankind.—From "The Guardian," by RICHARD STEELE.

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WOMEN'S ENTERPRISES AND ACTIVITIES

White House Table Service

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WHEN she was mistress of the Executive Mansion (1877-81), Mrs. Rutherford B. Hayes "loved the home of the Presidents—loved to have people appreciate the building and the quaint bits of furniture and china that had come from each administration." But Mrs. Caroline Scott Harrison, wife of Benjamin Harrison, the twenty-third President of the United States, started in 1889 the china hobby which is the subject of this story.

Mrs. Harrison was a china painter of skill and when the State dining room needed a new table service for 54 people, she designed its decoration. Naturally, Mrs. Harrison's accomplishment fostered in her a very particular interest in all the old china of the Executive Mansion. She had the broken pieces of the various old sets mended so as to retain in service as many of the sets as possible.

She also began to collect the odd pieces left from the previous administrations and urged that the oldest pieces should no longer be used but preserved with utmost care. In the attic she found the broken pieces of a high fruit bowl upheld by Three Graces, executed in French biscuit. This was a piece of the "Blue and Gold" china used by President Madison and Dolly during the former's administration. Dolly had saved this bowl from destruction by fire when the Presidents' house was burned on Aug. 24, 1814, by placing it with other "valuable portable articles belonging to the house" in a wagon procured late in the afternoon just prior to the arrival of the British soldiers. It was the oldest piece of china that had remained in executive possession continuously since its purchase by the Government.

Mrs. Harrison planned to build a cabinet in the walls of the state dining room for the display of pieces of historical presidential china and plate, but she passed on before her idea was carried out.

Each Mistress Carries on the Work

On the return of Grover Cleveland to the Executive Mansion—his two administrations sandwiched Benjamin Harrison's one term as President—Mrs. Frances Cleveland inherited the new Executive Mansion hobby of preserving its historical china and plate. She gathered together the massive silver service which had been the pride of Mrs. Monroe when it was purchased by the Government in 1817 for the Presidents' House, and had those heavy pieces melted and recast into a new and dainty service, preserving the historic metal. On retiring as the mistress of the Executive Mansion, Mrs. Cleveland left her favorite china for its closets—a Wedgwood breakfast set purchased by Mr. Cleveland when she was a young bride during his first administration.

Mrs. William McKinley gladly took up the hobby when her husband was inaugurated. She had treasured pieces mended by an expert, and she invited Mrs. Abby Gunn Baker to make a study of the Executive Mansion's historical furnishings.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, the next mistress, rode the hobby enthusiastically and determined that no more china should be lost to the White House through White House sales. The sales of 1833-1837, 1854, 1857, 1882, and 1893 had disposed of many pieces which were invaluable in that they could never be replaced. Mrs. Roosevelt asked Mrs. Abby Gunn Baker to collect the historic specimens still existing in the White House, especially all pieces of the President Lincoln china, and these she had placed "in a closet especially made for them in the gallery over the butler's pantry." The Madison punch bowl, which had been rescued from the attic by Mrs. Harrison and mended, was used as a show piece in the private dining room.

Mrs. Baker extended her loving and untiring work, which was all without remuneration, feeling that "no more interesting collection could possibly be made than one that would show the china used by each successive President of the United States." She wrote to the heirs and descendants of the various Presidents, from George Washington down, and through their generosity secured the return of many pieces of china, glass, and plate which had formerly been in use in the White House.

The collection grew so rapidly that Mrs. Roosevelt ordered two small black walnut cabinets placed in the ground-floor corridor for its display. Pieces of the new President Roosevelt state dining set were added to the collection.

This state dining set contained 1000 pieces, this number having become necessary because of the increased seating capacity provided by the remodeling of the state dining room.

Mrs. William Howard Taft gladly adopted the vigorously growing hobby of the First Ladies of the Land. In her "Recollections of Full Years," she states: "Perhaps nothing in the house is so expressive of the various personalities of its mistresses as the dinner services which each has contributed. . . . I always enjoyed . . . using some of the old historic plates and platters at small luncheons and dinners. There are enough plates left of the Lincoln set to serve a course to a party of 30." She also stated that "samples of all the different services displayed in cabinets in the long eastern corridor are among the most interesting exhibits in the White House."

Cabinets Multiply

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson set aside a large sunny room at the foot of the granite stairway of the main corridor and had set up there in the west wall a large cabinet for the heirlooms. The Madison fruit bowl was removed from the private dining room to the new exhibit cabinet.

In two years the collection of table china, glass and plate again outgrew its quarters and Mrs. Wilson had two cabinets of the same type as the first built in the east wall.

During President Wilson's second administration the 1700-piece President Wilson state dining set was purchased. It was the first American-made dinner service to grace the White House. Specimens of the new set were added to the cabinets.

The next devotee of the hobby was Mrs. Warren G. Harding, who had the housekeeper of the White House collect all the odds and ends of sterling silver tableware. These she had triple plated in gold, so that, together with the gold service handed down from early administrations and the Monroe gold centerpiece, a complete gold service was provided for the serving of 80 people at state dinners. The Harding gold service was a "definite Harding memento."

President and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge purchased for permanent White House use eight tall and very beautiful Sheffield silver candlesticks. They were their gift to the collection of presidential relics—the memento of their administration.

Mrs. Herbert Hoover is lovingly continuing the hobby. Early in the administration she sent several dinner plates of the President Roosevelt state dining set to be mended, as she wished to use that set as an alternate for state functions. For informal occasions and small dinners, there are the remaining parts of the Hayes, Cleveland and Harrison sets and a few pieces of the Lincoln and Grant sets.

President and Mrs. Hoover are very appreciative of the Lincoln china and have had beautiful specimens placed on a buffet in the Presidential China Exhibit Room, below a painting of Mrs. Lincoln.

The collection of White House table-service heirlooms is still growing. Every few months another authentic piece is added.

Working on "Spare" Gas Cells for the U. S. S. Akron and Her Sister Ship the ZRS5 Now Under Construction. Women Are Used Almost Exclusively in This Work.

Spares for the Akron

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

Akron, Ohio

OUT in the balloon room of the Goodyear Zeppelin Corporation, where the giant airship Akron was built, and her sister ship the ZRS5 is under construction, 20 energetic overalled young women are busily at work these days on spare cells for the Akron, and new cells for the ZRS5.

"Every airship carries spare gas cells, just as an auto carries spare tires," said Mr. J. F. Cooper, superintendent of the balloon room. "For instance, the Akron with its 12 cells is carrying six spares. These are the spares which the young women are working on, and which are being shipped to the Akron in Lakehurst, after careful inspection."

Gas cell inspection is no child's play, either, according to Mr. Cooper. There are 6000 yards of fabric in each gas cell and every yard has to be looked over inch by inch, to be sure that there are no weak spots or pin holes in the cloth.

One girl gets inside of a cell, while another takes a strong light and circulates around the outside. The light shows up every thread of the fabric to the girl inside, who immediately tapes or reinforces any bad or weak places she discovers in the cloth. A navy inspector joins her on the final inspection trip, since these are navy ships. The girls also work on seams of the gas cells, cementing them with a strong cement.

Mr. Cooper finds that women are keen-eyed and conscientious in this work of inspecting gas cells. In order not to injure the delicate fabric of the gas cells the girls can wear no shoes while working on this job.

Underwood

Miss Sonja Henie, Champion Figure Skater, Now at Lake Placid Taking Part in Olympic Events.

Famous Figure Skater

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

FIGURE skating as a regulated competitive sport is of comparatively recent date although skating clubs have for a hundred or more years placed their stamp of approval upon figure skating. In 1882 a regular terminology was officially established by delegates of the principal skating clubs of England to apply to figure skating.

The Women's Olympic Figure Skating Championship, held at St. Morits, Switzerland, in February, 1928, was won by Fröken Sonja Henie of Norway, who had then just passed her fifteenth birthday. The month thereafter the World's Women's Figure Skating Championship was staged at the Ice Club in London, where Miss Henie captured first place. Since then no championship event exclusively for women figure skaters has been held. But now the Olympic Winter Games at Lake Placid includes as one of its five Olympic events a contest for the championship of the world in women's figure skating. To this event have been attracted the most famous figure skaters of Europe and America. And the most interesting among this picturesque contingent is Miss Sonja Henie, now nineteen, who with her incomparable elfin grace and skill is the as yet undefeated champion of figure skating for women.

She undoubtedly meets stronger opposition than in her previous contests, for among those to enter the lists against her are Mme. de Ligne of Belgium and Miss Fritzi Burger of Austria, both of whom have attained fame on the ice rinks of Europe. But the experts who have recently seen her at work, or rather at what to her is play, in Norway and Switzerland, state that her improved skill still makes her the outstanding favorite to win the forthcoming contest.

The Women's Championship Figure Skating Event is being held at the Lake Placid Olympic Arena, recently completed at a cost of more than $200,000. This is the first time in the history of the Olympic Winter Games that all the skating events are to be held within doors, thus insuring them against the interruptions of inclement weather.

Women's Organizations

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

CHARLOTTE CUSHMAN once said, "To me it seems as if when God conceived the world, that was poetry; He formed it, and that was sculpture; He colored it, and that was painting; He peopled it with living beings, and that was grand, divine, eternal drama."

Miss Mary McMillan of Cincinnati, Ohio, facetiously writes in the introduction to her book of plays: "Some are born dramatists—like Shakespeare; some achieve dramatic construction—like Ibsen; some have drama thrust upon them—like me. . . . I was locked up alone in a room with a crust of bread and a tin cup of water and commanded to write a drama that could be produced by five or six women in 45 minutes without scenery and on a stage as big as a good-sized book." Seriously, says Miss Ethel Rockwell, in a radio talk on drama, as quoted in the Wisconsin Club Woman, Mary McMillan wrote her plays in response to the insistent demand of the Cincinnati Woman's Club. She asks if every club does not have at least one member whom it might lock up and feed on bread and water until the muse could get in her good work. She thinks that one of the greatest services that a woman's club can render to the community as a whole is to encourage the production of worth-while plays whether by good professional players or by locally organized groups in schools or in little theaters, and asks that all women's clubs become the sponsors of the Little Theater movement.

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Last week was observed as drama week by many women's organizations. Many of the programs during that week centered around the dramatic events in the early history of the United States, thus combining the celebration of the week with the Washington Bicentennial observance. A permanent file to be kept in Washington of all original plays and pageants that are produced this year which have to do with the Bicentennial celebration. Two copies should be sent to the Bicentennial Commission.

A recent drama afternoon conducted by the New England Women's Press Association was not only enjoyable but of practical assistance to those who are interested in writing plays. At the beginning of the program an analysis of a play was made by an authority on the subject. In this analysis the speaker told what to look for in a play, and how to enjoy dramatic situations as they are presented. The first act of a play written by one of the members was then enacted by a group of selected players. The play dealt with some local history connected with George Washington's stay in and around Boston.

After the first act of this play had been presented the audience was given an opportunity to criticize, to tell how they would like to have the next two acts proceed, and what they thought the climax should be.

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This meeting gave an opportunity for the study of a play in the making and for original thought as to suspense and climax. The author of the play refused to tell how the following acts proceeded, but it was suggested that members write for themselves two acts continuing the plot as outlined in the first one. Perhaps a subsequent meeting may be devoted to these dramatic ideas.

The Junior Women's Club of Arlington, N. J., gives as one of the reasons for starting a drama division that any woman who takes part in any dramatic endeavor which is worthy of a woman's club, is enriched mentally since she must give of herself in the production of a play (and she learns best who learns by doing) and that language, customs and beautiful lines are retained and the knowledge treasured.

Three Easy Dishes for Business Women

Bonbleato
(Egg and Tomato)

4 large tomatoes.
4 eggs.
1 teaspoonful of finely minced onion.
Large lump of butter.
1 teaspoonful of chopped parsley.
Salt to taste.

Brown the onion in the butter, add the peeled and sliced tomatoes. Cook until tender, then fold in the slightly beaten eggs. Cook until lightly set, about a minute. Add the parsley and serve at once on hot buttered toast.

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Celery and Cheese

Boil a whole head of celery until tender. Drain, and place in shallow pan. Pour over the top a white sauce, then cover with thick slices of American cheese and bake till brown under the broiler.

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Roly-Poly Pudding

Sift two or three times, three cupfuls of flour, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt. Work in a half cupful of butter, moisten with enough milk to make a light dough. Roll out a half inch thick on a floured board. Cover with fig or raspberry jam. Roll up lengthwise and fasten securely by moistening the top and edges with water. Bake in a moderate oven about an hour. This is delicious spiced and eaten hot with cream.

House Property Supervisors

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

Amsterdam, Holland

WOMEN in Amsterdam, and in other large towns in Holland, have in recent years successfully entered a new field of social activity in looking after house property owned by the municipality. There are three special schools for this particular branch of social work, a non-denominational, a Christian and a Roman Catholic school, all of which have special sections for training women as house property supervisors. Dr. A. Keppler, director of the Amsterdam Municipal Housing Department, who has under his care 10,000 municipal dwellings, does not employ only those women who are graduates of these schools. Graduates, however, may obtain there many of the qualifications necessary for this work, which is of a very special character, requiring many of the qualities particularly associated with women.

Qualities Needed

The first essential for a woman supervisor, Dr. Keppler told the Monitor correspondent, is devotion to her task. She must express an energetic gentleness and cheerfulness which makes the family welcome her visits. She has to supervise blocks containing from 200 to 350 dwellings, to collect rents, and help with social advice in cases where she thinks it is desirable and wise to do so.

She has also to exercise a good educative influence, and promote a proper sense in the occupants as to how a house should be used. She, therefore, encourages saving, acquaints the occupants with the possibility of depositing small savings with her, in order to enable them to buy cheap but good bedding, blankets, sheets, curtains or carpets. She also coöperates with the playground societies in getting the parents to send their children to school regularly and, after school, to the playground societies, which provide instructive and pleasant occupation and play for the children in their leisure hours.

Social Service

The woman house supervisor in Amsterdam finds her widest field of activity in those municipal residential quarters occupied by the lowest paid laborers. These comprise about 6000 of the 10,000 dwellings owned by the municipality. People coming from the slums require to be educated to a proper use of their bright new houses in fresh surroundings. They require much help and assistance, therefore in such a quarter one woman supervisor controls only 50 dwellings. In other quarters one woman may supervise as many as 1300 dwellings, her work being mainly of an administrative nature in which she has the assistance of men rent-collectors and an assistant.

Selling to Contractors

Special from The Christian Science Monitor Bureau

London

AN ARTICLE published some months ago dealt with the subject of architecture as a profession for women and brought out some admirable advice to those on the lookout for a suitable career for their daughters.

Though much prejudice has been broken down in the question of women entering the profession there still remain serious obstacles to be overcome before it can be said that the prospects offered are equal to those held out to the average man.

Without entering upon why this is so, it has to be acknowledged that, with very little exception, women have not, as yet, risen to any very great eminence in this branch of service. It may and no doubt will be argued that there is a very small percentage of women in England engaged in this class of work as against that of the men and for this reason alone they do not appear prominently. There are, however, a sufficient number to prove that it is possible for women to succeed, not only as trusted assistants and 'draftsmen,' but to become independent workers. This proves also that the occupation is a suitable one for women and that, with time, they will undoubtedly be able to range equally with men.

An Allied Branch of Work

Meanwhile something might be said for another branch of work for which women might be trained, and which, in one sense, can be said to be allied to architecture because it has to do with materials directly used in building. It is the business of representing some firm or firms manufacturing specialties utilized in all modern building. At first sight, this may seem a very unsuitable occupation for women, but, on analysis, it will be seen that, within certain limits, this need not be so at all. Practically every building that is put up contains a variety of both finishings and furnishings apart altogether from the cruder materials used in the main construction and apart from any furniture it may accommodate when complete.

To fill these needs numerous manufacturers specialize in supplying the goods required and invariably have their representatives to bring to the attention of architects and others the merits of their particular branch of production.

Necessary Training

Most of these productions have relation to the artistic finish requisite to every edifice and vary enormously according to the character of and the use to which the building is to be put. It will be seen how, in these essential details, the artistic ability with which women are justly credited, may be of great value both to the producer of the goods and to the buyer and the user of them. As an intermediary a woman may be an invaluable asset but it must be recognized that, in order to be so, a certain amount of architectural training is desirable if not absolutely requisite.

To be able thoroughly to understand plans, sections, elevations and more detailed instructions and particulars; to be able to use scales and take measurements; to be familiar with specifications and bills of quantities and the general phraseology used in the world of building are very necessary qualifications.

In order to gain this information, it may not be necessary to take either a full and expensive course at a school of architecture or pay a heavy premium to an architect for training in his office for a number of years, and this may be a great advantage to many people of limited means.

It will be appreciated, however, that some training is necessary and the gaining of this would depend upon the person concerned securing it on the best terms available and possible.

Most firms today remunerate representatives on the basis of a small wage and commission on orders received. Sometimes payment is made by means of a salary alone, but more frequently remuneration is made by commission alone. As a rule, all traveling expenses are allowed.

Different firms employ varying methods of payment, but usually it comes to about the same thing in the long run, which is that the one most concerned receives what he or she is worth. Where ability and initiative are shown and profitable orders follow their efforts, no rational firm will place any limit on what a traveler may earn, thus making it possible to secure an increasingly good income in what, to many women, should prove an interesting and engrossing occupation.

Bonney

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Madame Tumlirova delivered one of the important addresses at the opening of the recent conference of the Woman's International League for Peace and Freedom, held in Paris. Rationalism, employment and markets were the outstanding topics discussed during the early sessions, and Madame Tumlirova contributed to these discussions her expert knowledge.

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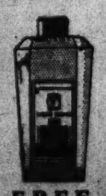

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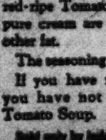

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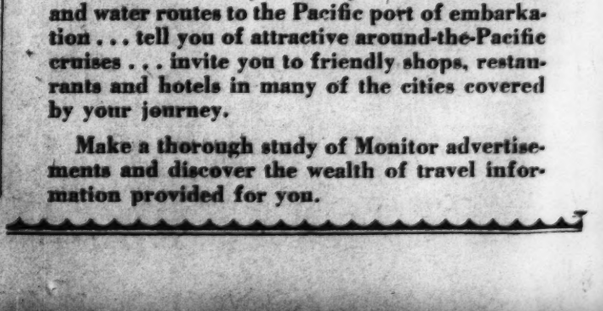

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EDUCATIONAL

Soviet Schools to Be More Effective, Less Entertaining

By W. H. CHAMBERLIN

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

Moscow

THE three R's (using that term in its broadest sense) have again come into their own in the Soviet school. The main feature of the present educational year has been emphasis upon the fact that the new features of the Soviet school must not be allowed to prevent a thorough training of the children in such subjects as reading, writing, arithmetic, physics, chemistry, mathematics, geography and history.

The Soviet school in many ways has been the biggest experimental educational laboratory in the world. Methods which in other countries are applied only in a few special schools were introduced all over the Soviet Union, often with inadequate technical facilities. Pedagogically the main feature of the new Soviet school was the discarding to a large degree of the method of teaching separate subjects. Classes were given broad themes, such as a town or a season of the year, and in process of studying these themes were supposed to learn something of arithmetic, reading, writing, politics, economics, geography and other subjects. Excursions to factories, museums and other places of public interest were very much encouraged.

The Soviet school has placed increasing emphasis upon training in Communist ideas and on inculcating antireligious theories, and during the year 1930-1931 it went on a so-called polytechnical basis. This meant that every school was attached to a factory in the towns, or to a state or collective farm in the village. The children put in a certain part of their time in factory or farm, where they received what would be called in America vocational training.

Fundamentals Needed

The weak spot in this novel educational system, as is now freely and generally admitted, was its failure in many cases to impart definite and specific factual knowledge. The children's interests were stimulated in many ways, and quite often a Soviet schoolboy of 10 or 12 might seem precocious beyond his years in some general themes. But if young Ivan Krasny, the Soviet schoolboy, might delight the hearts of his Communist instructors with an eloquent declamation about the oppressed workers of America or about the liquidation of the kulaks as a class, he was apt to be weak on such prosaic things as sums and the multiplication table and to make appalling mistakes in spelling if he tried to set down his thoughts on paper. This weak aspect of the Soviet elementary schools was crisply characterized in the following terms in a resolution on the educational question recently published by the Central Committee of the Communist Party:

> The basic defect of the school at the present moment is that instruction in the schools does not give a sufficient amount of general educational subjects and does not solve satisfactorily the problem of preparing for the higher schools fully literate people, well acquainted with the basic objects of study (physics, chemistry, mathematics, native language, geography, etc.)"

This idea has now become dominant in the field of Soviet education and the Commissar for Education, Mr. Andrei Bubnov, recently devoted a long article to the problems involved in turning out "fully literate people." Citing one educational report which stated that "the complex method has been turned into a fetish, to which elementary literacy is sacrificed" and another which estimated that 32 per cent of the pupils who graduated from a group of village schools which were under investigation write illiterately, Bubnov declared that the main objective of the Soviet schools is to train a generation "finally capable of establishing Communism" and that thorough grounding in the elementary educational subjects is a necessary means to this end.

For Better Work in Three R's

Therefore the Commissar for Education demands that more time be assigned to general educational subjects, that these studies be better organized, that old teaching methods of proved value should be reintroduced. While the "polytechnical" method will be retained, some abuses in its application will be corrected. Children henceforward are not supposed to spend an excessive amount of time in the factories, and such work as they do there must be linked up directly with their studies.

Mr. Bubnov stressed the point that these changes do not mean a reversion to the conventional old-fashioned school. The Soviet school will retain many of its special features. But the whole trend of the school year 1931-1932 is toward more effective training in exact branches of knowledge. The Soviet school will become less entertaining to the casual visitor who is interested in educational experiments; but it will perhaps begin to turn out graduates with more promise of bringing solid benefit to their country.

This decisive shift of educational emphasis is inspired by much the same causes that dictated Stalin's declaration of new methods of economic administration last summer. Experience had shown that Russia could not effectively realize its dreams of high speed industrialization unless the stimulus of piecework payment and differential wage scales existed, unless individual responsibility was clearly fixed throughout the Soviet economic machine, unless the atmosphere of suspicious hostility to the older generation of engineers and specialists was banished. In the same way the type hitherto often produced by the Soviet school, the fluent young orator with a scrappy and uneven fund of exact information and an imperfect grasp of physics and mathematics, is not likely to develop into the capable and qualified engineer, technician or industrial manager whom the Soviet Union needs for the proper management of its new plants. So, after ranging over many alluring pastures of educational innovation, the Soviet school seems likely to take firmer root in the three R's.

By Burton Holmes from Ewing Galloway

PUPILS AND TEACHER OFF "TO SEE FOR THEMSELVES"
In Potsdam, Germany.

These educational trips are usually much more worth while when taken in small groups. In Europe and America alike these tours are a familiar sight, a standard custom. A first-hand study of native geography, points of historical interest, important industries, art and many other subjects is conducted in this happy fashion. Regular school is enhanced rather than weakened by this field work.

Finding Thrill in Peace Drama

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

Beverly Hills, Calif.

A PROGRAM entitled "The March of the Nations" because its inspiration was derived from the Rufus Steele column of The Christian Science Monitor, was presented by Berkeley Hall School in Beverly Hills. All of the material used was taken exclusively from this international daily newspaper.

There was color in the costumes of nations; there was music that said something; there were songs that stirred; there was a continual succession of dramatic events as the scenes shifted from one end of the world to the other. In fact, many of the elements that make for inspiring drama were displayed. And when all had played their parts, the children had experienced a broad sense of internationalism in contrast to a narrowing sense of mere nationalism.

This production in which there was no mention of war, unfolded in part as follows:

At the call of the bugle, the children saluted the flag and repeated in unison, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men," after which the audience joined with them in singing "America the Beautiful."

A student representing "Peace" extended the hand of welcome and said, "In the spirit of peace I greet you," and stated that the signing of the armistice was for world peace and understanding, an armament against fear.

Another student representing "Love" announced each group. Turning back the pages of history to the first gathering of the representatives of 26 countries at The Hague, students, representing themselves to be reporters of the Monitor, appeared at the telegraph office to cable their paper authentic news of the first peace gathering in 1899. The Dutch atmosphere was created as children in real Dutch costumes clattered across the stage. Other members of the class reported the second Hague tribunal and an invitation was extended to all to meet at the new disarmament building in Geneva, Feb. 2, 1932.

Another group represented Roumanian peasants crushed under the sense of greed, debt, hunger, until King Carol brought peace and comfort to them.

The student body then sang "Highest Brotherhood."

Two students representing Secretary Stimson of the United States and Signor Grandi of Italy exchanged cordial greetings.

Girl students in the native costume of India next conferred as to a common meeting ground for the different castes upon which to bring freedom and independence to India.

The scene shifted to the Orient, where Mrs. Japan was entertaining Mrs. England and Mrs. America at tea. They were discussing political and warlike conditions in Manchuria, when a Japanese policeman interrupted with inquiries as to the political status of her guests. He expressed to the hostess his satisfaction as to the presence of Mrs. England, but distrust of Mrs. America. Mrs. Japan, however, reassured him by pointing out America's peaceful attitude toward all nations, Japan included; the hearty welcome accorded the American hero, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, by the Japanese, and President Hoover's condemnation of the code episode. Further argument ensued until finally the policeman, satisfied, took his leave.

Next there was a miniature women's club meeting, conducted with great aplomb by sixth grade girls in their mothers' clothes of latest mode. The subject of the day was, "What the United States and England Are Doing for World Peace." In the words of the Monitor, culled from different articles, much information was entertainingly given. After the gavel sounded dismissal, "President Hoover" appeared and with great dignity gave in part his radio talk on "Peace." This was followed by the official meeting of President Hoover and Premier Laval of France, who exchanged expressions of friendship between the two republics, Premier Laval speaking in favor of the Kellogg-Briand pact.

A world peace poem was then read and the curtain opened upon the final tableau—"Peace Accompanied by Love and Understanding." Before this trio great statesmen and politicians knelt while the hopeful people of all nations drew near, singing "Come to the Land of Peace."

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To Restore Spain's Eminence

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

Madrid

ASSERTING that Spain is the most fertile field in the world for the study of medieval history, Fernando de los Rios, Minister of Education, has urged the formation of an institute, as part of the Centro de Estudios Historicas, for study in this field. "Since the time of Father Flores, at the end of the eighteenth century, no Spanish books on medieval history have been published, and no intensive study made of the subject," the Minister claims.

Señor de los Rios has been advocating a study of Spain during the Middle Ages since 1920, when he was a professor in a Spanish university. His dream can be realized now that he is a Cabinet Minister with control over the entire field of education.

The new Republican Minister has several other plans which he hopes will increase educational facilities in Spain and restore the country to the place of eminence it occupied during the fifteenth century as the European center of culture and education.

One bill he is proposing is designed to improve library facilities. It provides for the regular circulation of rare books and manuscripts among the various libraries in Spain and changes the hours during which libraries will be open, giving scholars better access to the works. Minister de los Rios was impressed with the library system in Germany, while studying at the University of Hamburg years ago, and made up his mind then that he would take back some of the features of the system to his own country if the opportunity ever presented itself. In commenting on his new bill, he told of an occasion when he wanted a book which was not available in Hamburg. It was finally located in a Munich library and courteously mailed to him from there.

Probably his most enterprising plan for spreading culture throughout Spain is in the founding of the National Lyric Theater. This is simply a modernized version of the Chautauquas which were once so plentiful and so popular at summer resorts in the United States. A group of scholars, fitted out with books, moving picture projectors, films and phonographs, all of an educational nature, will travel from town to town in the rural sections giving shows, lectures and concerts. At each small town a library of 150 books will be left as the nucleus for a circulating library.

Señor de los Rios hopes that this plan will raise the literacy rate in Spain and will bring light into the hundreds of small pueblos where education and culture are now entirely absent. He contends that the recent tragedy in the small town of Castilblanco, where the casualties included four civil guards who were attacked by a group of striking workmen, might have been avoided if the people, instead of living in utter ignorance, had had opportunities for even a small degree of culture and learning. It is planned to have the first of these tours pass through Extramedura, the rural wester province bordering on the Portuguese frontier.

Some months ago a somewhat similar tour was made by a group of educators, but with much less equipment than is called for in the present plans. The travelers were met with indifference at every one of the backwoods towns, but before they packed up to leave they had the townspeople bowing at their feet. The success of this trip led to the formation of the new and more elaborate plan.

A Parent-Teacher Project

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

ART galleries all over the United States report such increased attendance and patronage that it is apparent that people are becoming "art conscious." The elementary schools of the cities, as well as those in small localities, recognize the growing importance of the guidance in this field by furnishing teachers who are especially trained.

Much credit should be given to the women's clubs which sponsor art exhibits and lectures and much credit is due the schools which stress the artistic development in everyday studies.

However, some parent-teacher associations have not realized the importance sufficiently of helping parents to understand the efforts of the schools in this particular subject. For this reason it is not as easy as might be for the teachers to promote a clear appreciation of natural beauty. It is the mission of every P. T. A. to bridge any gap arising between child and school.

Buying a picture for the school, periodically, is a generous effort, but, it alone will not advance the consciousness of appreciation of art.

Whenever a meeting of parents is anticipated in the school building, an art committee could arrange an interesting exhibition of paintings, etchings or artistic articles in a prominent place. A plentiful supply of exhibits is always available, no matter how small the community, for artists are always waiting for such opportunities to exhibit. Communities with near-by galleries will readily furnish the organization with pictures of merit, providing transportation and insurance are assured. Hand work, unusual collections, hobbies and children's work will lend variety to the year's program.

Publicity is essential to the success of any movement, and especially so, when one is trying to stimulate interest where heretofore there has been very little. It should not be difficult to have an intelligent parent guide the interest to the understandable features of the exhibit. Such efforts will result in an unfailing bond between parent and child, when the art questions arise. A broad-minded view of sketches from life, and a use of "the seeing eye," as artists explain their knowledge of values and perspectives, will yield unforgettable lessons.

Amateur sketch classes, tours to the galleries, coöperation with the teacher of art in the school and an investigation of your own members' hobbies will uncover enough animation to put verve into the new enterprise, carrying it to an artistic apex surmounting all other projects.

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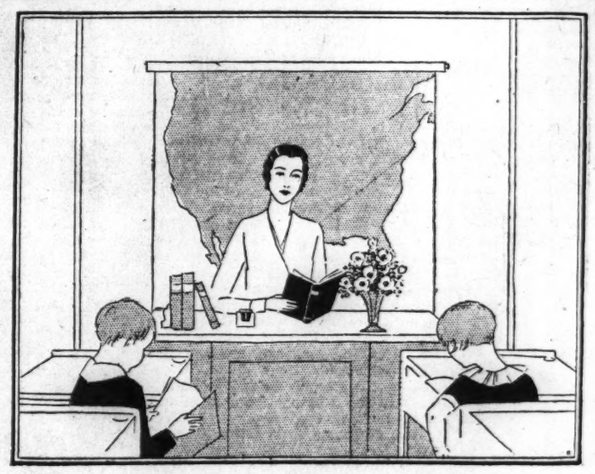

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NEW BOBSLEIGH RECORD MADE

Stevens Now Holds Olympic Mark; but Capadrutt Is Leading

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., Feb. 9 (AP)—J. Hubert Stevens of Lake Placid, driver of the first American team in the two-man bobsleigh races of the III Olympic Winter Games, set a new record for the Mt. van Hoevenberg bobsleigh run today when he covered the course in 2m. 4.27s. Stevens bettered the mark made earlier in the day by Reto Capadrutt, driver of the Swiss second team, who broke Stevens's previous record of 2m. 9s. made last year.

Capadrutt, however, had the best total time for the two runs of 4m. 12.9s., making his second in 2m. 7.21s., while Stevens' time for the two runs was 4m. 17.37s., his first run being made in 2m. 13.1s. Capadrutt's first run, which held the record momentarily, was made in 2m. 5.88s.

The largest crowd the Third Winter Olympics thus far have attracted lined the course and roared its approval as Stevens swept around the hairpin and zig-zag turns of the mile and one half course at record speed.

The timing was done by an electrical device, breaking threads at the start and finish lines, serving to make contacts and register the time of each sled at the moment it completed its descent.

The second American team, of which John R. Heaton was driver, was in third place when the total time for the two runs was tabulated. The first German team was fourth, the Roumanian fifth. The Austrian team made the slowest total time of all, 4m. 45.65s. for the two runs.

The Swiss team captain was favored by many from the beginning, because of his European performances and his skill in handling a rope-driven sleigh, particularly adapted to the snowy course which the teams of eight nations faced today.

The Swiss number one team of Rene Fonjallaz and his brother Gustave, driving the same type of sled as Capadrutt, scratched their entry because they thought the course too dangerous for the rope-steered bobs.

Hanns Kilian took his German sled down the run in 2m. 15.27s. in the first heat. The second German team, of which Werner Huth is driver, made 2m. 11.53s. in the first heat.

TWO-MAN BOBSLEIGH HEATS

German Team No. 1—Hanns Kilian, driver. First heat, 2:15:27; second heat, 2:11:08. Total time for two heats—4:26:35.

French Team—Louis Balsan, driver. First heat, 2:20:10; second heat, 2:19:37. Total time—4:39:47.

United States—J. Hubert Stevens, driver. First heat, 2:13:10; second heat, 2:04:27. Total time—4:17:37.

United States Second Team—John R. Heaton, driver. First heat, 2:15:02, second heat, 2:07:51. Total Time—4:22:53.

Italian Team—Count Teofilo Rossi di Montelera, driver. First heat, 2:15:45; second heat, 2:08:10. Total Time—4:23:55.

Italian Second Team—Agostino Lanfranchi, driver. First Heat, 2:20:08; second heat, 2:13:47. Total time—4:33:55.

Roumanian Team—Lieut. Al. Bapana, driver. First heat, 2:15:51; second heat, 2:07:82. Total time—4:23:33.

Belgian Team—Max Houben, driver. First heat, 2:17:68; second heat, 2:14:90. Total time—4:32:58.

Austrian Team—Hugo Weinstengal, driver. First heat, 2:23:83; second heat, 2:21:82. Total time—4:45:65.

Belgian Second Team—Christian Hansez, driver. First heat, 2:17:01; second heat, 2:16:74. Total time—4:33:75.

German Second Team—Werner Huth, driver. First heat, 2:11:53; second heat, 2:11:58. Total time—4:23:11.

Swiss Second Team—Reto Capadrutt, driver. First heat, 2:05:88; second heat, 2:07:21. Total time—4:15:09.

Driving through his favorite element, a heavy snow, Irving Jaffee, New York youngster, won the 10,000-meter speed skating championship yesterday, giving the United States a clean sweep of all four events on the Olympic speed skating program. He added the title to his 5000-meter crown with a burst of speed through the home stretch that brought him to the finish about three yards ahead of Ivar Ballangrud, Norwegian champion. Frank Stack of Canada was third and Eddie Wedge of Detroit, fourth. The time was 19m. 13.6s.

Jaffee's feat duplicated that of Jack Shea, who triumphed in both the 500 and 1500-meter championship finals to give the United States the greatest team conquest in its own, as well as the entire history of the Olympics. No other nation ever before has won all four of the speed skating championships.

10,000-Meter Speed Skating Final—Won by Irving Jaffee, United States; Ivar Ballangrud, Norway, second; Frank Stack, Canada, third; Edwin Wedge, United States, fourth; Valentine Bialis, United States, fifth; Bernt Evensen, Norway, sixth; Alex Hurd, Canada, seventh; Edward Schroeder, United States, eighth. Time—19m. 13.6s.

Canada's Olympic hockey team blanked Germany in the evening, 5 to 0, to retain its two-point lead over the United States in the point standing of the international series.

Germany offered stubborn resistance, but the Teutons were outclassed. Their desperate thrusts were sadly lacking in cooperation and general hockey craft.

The Canadians scored twice in the opening period, once in the middle heat and then rammed home two more counters in the third period. Canada's goals were shared by five players. Lindquist, who got one of them, was credited with assists on two others. The summary:

CANADA		GERMANY
Rivers, lw		rw, Jaenecke
Monson, c		c, Ball
Lindquist, rw		lw, Schroettle
Sutherland, ld		rd, Heinrich
Henkel, rd		ld, Roemer
Cockburn, g		g, Leinweber

Score—Canada 5, Germany 0. Goals—Lindquist, Monson, Garbutt, Rivers and Duncanson for Canada. Assists—Lindquist 2, Monson for Canada. Spares—Garbutt, Crowley and Duncanson for Canada; Strobl, Rerker and Korff for Germany. Referees—Lou Marsh, Canada, and Donald Sands, United States. Time—Three 15m. periods.

The United States hockey team defeated Poland for a second time in the Olympic series, 5 to 0, to retain second place in the four-team standing behind the unbeaten Canadians. It was the fourth successive defeat for the Polish team, deemed by spectators "too polite" for the American style of play, as the players seldom attempt stiff body-checking or similar defensive tactics.

Nevertheless, the Poles showed surprising improvement in defense near the net. Stogowski, their goalie, weakened in the last period, however, under a steady bombardment as the Americans stepped up their pace and played all around the Polish men in the field. Three of the American goals were scored in the final frame. The giant Stogowski, last peg of the waning Polish defense, made almost twice as many saves as the American goalie, Farrel. The summary:

UNITED STATES		POLAND
Palmer, lw		rw, Marchewczky
Chase, c		c, Sabinski
Bent, rw		lw, Krygier
Livingston, ld		rd, Materski
Garrison, rd		ld, Sokolowski
Farrel, g		g, Stogowski

Score—United States 5, Poland 0. Goals—Palmer 2, Smith, Chase and Anderson for United States. Assists—Garrison and Chase for United States. Spares—Fitzgerald, Anderson and Smith for United States; Al Kowalski, Adam Kowalski and Ludwickzak for Poland. Referees—Lou Marsh, Canada, and Donald Sands, United States. Time—Three 15m. periods.

The only other outdoor event of the day gave Miss Jean Wilson of Canada a victory in the final of the first women's speed skating exhibitions between skaters of the United States and Canada. Miss Wilson won the 500-meter final in 58 seconds flat, with two girls of the United States team, Miss Elizabeth Dubois of Evanston, Ill., and Miss Kit Klein of Buffalo, second and third, respectively. The summary:

500-Meters Final (Women's Exhibition)—Won by Miss Jean Wilson, Canada; Miss Elizabeth Dubois, United States, second; Miss Kit Klein, United States, third; Miss Lo. Brooks-Potter, Canada, fourth; Miss Elsie Muller McLave, United States, fifth. Time—58s.

All through the day, indoors in the Olympic Arena away from the reach of varying weather, the men's figure skaters of eight nations cut their school figures on the ice under the eyes of seven judges in the start of that competition. Although the duels seemed to rest between Gillis Grafstrom, of Sweden, Olympic champion for the past eight years, and Karl Schafer, of Austria, world title holder, it will be many hours before the complicated tabulations will return a champion.

Courtesy Cards For Olympic Visitors

By the Associated Press

Los Angeles, Feb. 9

IDENTIFICATION cards for foreign participants in the Olympic Games here next August, extending the same courtesies as distinguished visitors of the United States, will be issued instead of passports of the usual form, the local organizing committee of the games announced today.

The cards, to be issued to officials, athletes, attendants, press representatives, their families and servants, will permit the waiving of the usual head tax and will facilitate entry and departure from this country.

Arrangements also have been made through the United States Treasury Department allowing horses and athletic equipment to be brought into the nation and taken out again free from duty.

OKLAHOMA LOSES TO CYCLONE FIVE

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

AMES, Iowa, Feb. 9—Iowa State College defeated University of Oklahoma here last night in a "Big Six" Conference basketball game, 29 to 22. As a result, four teams are now tied for second in the Conference race, with Missouri in first place and Nebraska in sixth.

The game was featured by the close guarding of each team. At the half, the score was 13 to 13. R. C. Hawks '32 gave a wonderful exhibition of guarding, holding the star Sooner, forward; A. B. Beck '33, to one basket. Albert Heitman '32 was the leading scorer with six floor goals and one from foul.

The Cyclones were never headed after the start of the second half. E. B. Anderson 33 was high point man for Oklahoma. The summary:

IOWA STATE		OKLAHOMA
Roadcap, lf		rg, Grady, Bross
Thomson, Ludwig, rf		lg, Main
Heitman, c		c, LeCrone, Graalman
Hawks, lg		rf, Anderson, Potts
Holmes, rg		lf, Beck

Score—Iowa State 29, Oklahoma 22. Goals from floor—Heitman 6, Roadcap 4, Thomson 2, Holmes for Iowa State; Anderson 3, Grady 2, Potts, Graalman, Beck, Main for Oklahoma. Goals from foul—Hawks 2, Heitman for Iowa State; Anderson 3, Grady for Oklahoma. Official—E. C. Quigley, St. Mary's.

ALEKHINE AND KHAN WIN

LONDON, Feb. 9 (AP)—The seventh round of the international chess tournament was contested yesterday at the rooms of the Empire Social Chess Club. The winners were Dr. Alexander Alekhine of France and Mir Sultan Khan of India. Two games were drawn and two adjourned. G. Maroczy of Hungary won an unfinished game from Isaac Kashdan, United States. The summary: Seventh Round—Alekhine, France, defeated Tartakower, Poland. Flohr, Czechoslovakia, drew with Kashdan, United States. Thomas, England, adjourned with Buerger, England. Sultan Khan, India, defeated Milner-Barry, England. Miss Vera Menchik, Czechoslovakia, adjourned with Winter, England. Maroczy, Hungary, drew with Koltanowski, Belgium. Fifth Round (adjourned)—Maroczy 1, Kashdan 0. The leading scores: Alekhine 5½—½, Flohr 5—1, Sultan Kahn 5—2, Kashdan 4½—3½, Maroczy and Tartakower each 4—3.

ARTISTS AND WRITERS GOLF

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 9 (AP)—Jefferson Machamer, artist and theater reviewer, led the qualifiers yesterday in the annual golf tournament for artists and writers with a card of 80. Rex Beach, author, was second with 84 and Grantland Rice, sports columnist, three times winner of the event, was third with 85. The championship flight pairings for the first round: Machamer vs. David Roberts; R. J. Walsh vs. E. W. Cochrane, Rex McCarthy vs. Maurice Collette, Fontaine Fox vs. Rice, Charles McAdam vs. Arthur Somers Roche, L. B. Myers vs. J. Bourdman, Merle Thorpe vs. F. N. Price and Maurice Fatio vs. Beach.

A'S RELEASE WAITE HOYT

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 9 (AP)—Waite C. Hoyt, veteran pitcher and shining star of many an American League and World Series battle, yesterday was unconditionally released by the Philadelphia Athletics. Connie Mack, manager of the A's, who is golfing in Florida, wired Hoyt and notified his office staff at Shibe Park to fill out the necessary papers. All the other clubs in the league were asked whether they wanted his services, but none made a demand for him.

BOB KLINE ACCEPTS TERMS

Bob Kline, youthful right-handed pitcher, has accepted the terms offered him by the Boston Red Sox and signed his contract, according to "Hi" Mason, secretary of the club. Kline won five games and lost five in 1931, his first year in the majors.

COLLEGE GYMNASTIC RESULT

Dartmouth 36, McGill 18.

NORTHWESTERN BESTS INDIANA

Holds Lead in 'Big Ten' Conference Basketball Race

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Feb. 9—Taking the lead for the first time in the game during the last four minutes, Northwestern University's basketball team kept its lead in the "Big Ten" Conference by defeating University of Indiana here last night, 29 to 25. Indiana led 14 to 8 at the end of the first 10 minutes of play and the half ended with the score standing 14 to 12 in favor of the Hoosiers.

Northwestern penetrated the Indiana defense with difficulty and relied on long passes to Joseph Rieff '33, who is leading the "Big Ten" scoring race, for its offensive power, while the Hoosiers used their speed and dribbling ability to carry them under the basket for close-in shots. The summary:

NORTHWESTERN		INDIANA
Rieff, lf		rg, Zeller
Johnson, rf		lg, Suddith
McCarnes, Brewer, c		c, Hoffar
Smith, Lockhart, lg		rf, Hodson, Dauer, Wier
Farber, rg		lf, Campbell

Score — Northwestern 29, Indiana 25. Goals from floor—Rieff 4, Farber 3, Brewer 2, Johnson, Smith, Lockhart for Northwestern; Hoffar 4, Zeller 2, Dauer 2, Suddith, Wier for Indiana. Goals from foul—Rieff 3, Johnson 2 for Northwestern; Hoffar 2, Suddith 2, Campbell for Indians. Referee—Kearns, DePaul. Umpire—Malony, Notre Dame.

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 9—The University of Minnesota won a 24-to-22 victory over the University of Iowa last night to maintain its hold on second position in the Western Conference basketball race. The game was rough-and-tumble from the start, with Minnesota missing numerous opportunities to score. The score at half time was 11 to 11. In the final period the Gophers rushed to the fore and succeeded in regaining a goal or two margin several times, the last just before the final gun.

Bradbury N. Robinson '34 set the scoring pace for the Gophers and the game with three goals from the floor and three from foul for nine points. C. C. Sommer '32, with five points and Glenn H. Bethel '33, with four, were his chief aides.

MINNESOTA		IOWA
Sommer, lf		rg, Riegert
Robinson, rf		lg, Filkins
Bethel, Sochacki, c		c, Rogers
Cielusak, lg		rf, Moffatt, Kotlow
Licht, Mace, Engelbretson, rg		lf, Krumbholz, Kotlow

Score—University of Minnesota 24, University of Iowa 22. Goals from floor—Robinson 3, Sommer 2, Bethel, Licht, Cielusak for Minnesota; Krumbholz 3, Rogers, Filkins, Riegert for Iowa. Goals from foul—Robinson 3, Bethel 2, Sommer, Cielusak, Engelbretson for Minnesota; Moffitt 2, Krumbholz 2, Rogers 2, Filkins 2, Kotlow 2 for Iowa.

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COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 9—Ohio State University's Basketball team lost an overtime decision here last night to the Purdue University, 38 to 33. The score at the regulation playing period was tied at 33-all.

During the first half of the game, Purdue easily outplayed the Buckeyes with their team working to perfection. During the second period, however, after Purdue had made one goal, Ohio State held their rivals scoreless for 13 minutes to tie the score at 27-all.

Capt. J. R. Hoffer '32 scored the tying point when a technical foul was called on Purdue's co-captains, J. R. Wooden '32 and H. H. Kellar '32, after the Purdue coach, W. L. Lambert, had run out on the floor during play to protest Umpire Fred Young's decision. The summary:

PURDUE		OHIO STATE
Eddy, lf		rg, Mattison, Fisher, Ferrall
Kellar, rf		lg, Hoffer
Stewart, Fehring, c		c, Conrad
Parmenter, lg		rf, Colburn, Lively
Wooden, rg		lf, Brown, Fugitt

Score—Purdue University 38, Ohio State University 33. Goals from floor—Parmenter 5, Kellar 2, Eddy 2, Fehring 2, Wooden 2, Stewart for Purdue; Colburn 4, Hoffer 3, Brown 2, Conrad 2, Fisher for Ohio State. Goals from foul—Eddy 5, Wooden 3, Parmenter, Stewart for Purdue; Mattison 3, Hoffer 3, Colburn, Brown, Conrad for Ohio State. Referee—Calvin Bolster, Pittsburgh. Umpire—Fred Young, Illinois Wesleyan.

TRYON POSTS LOW SCORE

CORAL GABLES, Fla., Feb. 9 (AP)—Young Howard Tryon of Detroit yesterday posted a 37—40—77 in qualifying play for the Miami-Biltmore St. Valentine's invitation golf tournament at the Miami-Biltmore Country Club. Par for the course is 35—36—71. Just one stroke behind Tryon was H. F. Bowbeer of Chicago, amateur veteran, with 39—39—78. August (Gus) Novotny, LaGrange, Ill., former University of Illinois star and contender in several of the winter amateur events, showed a pair of 40's on his card. A. P. Lawton, Providence, R. I., had 41—46—87, while Paul R. Leviton of New York scored 45—46—91. Qualifying play will continue through Wednesday.

GOODWIN TIES COURSE RECORD

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 9 (AP)—Tommy Goodwin, 18-year-old Monroe (N. Y.) star, scored an eagle and five birdies to tie the course record and win the qualifying medal in the annual south Florida amateur tournament here yesterday on the Palm Beach Golf Club links. He carded 32—33—65 to tie the record established by Albert R. Hakes, Dunkirk, N. Y., who was medalist in the annual Lake Worth tournament recently. Goodwin's nearest competitor was seven strokes away, George D. Lynn of New York, who had 72. Hakes qualified with a card of 74.

DETROIT SELLS GRABOWSKI

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 9 (AP)—Sale of Johnny Grabowski, veteran catcher, to the Montreal club of the International League, was announced yesterday by Frank J. Navin, president of the Detroit baseball club. Grabowski, who was with the New York Yankees for two years and with the Chicago White Sox for three, was purchased by the Tigers from St. Paul of the American Association at the end of the 1930 season.

SLADE SIGNS CONTRACT

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—Receipt of the signed contract of Gordon Slade, shortstop, was announced today by the Brooklyn baseball club of the National League. The signing of Slade completes the Brooklyn "kid" keystone combination, as Neal (Mickey) Finn, the second baseman, signed several days ago.

VICTORIA SCORES 231 RUNS

MELBOURNE, Australia, Feb. 9 (AP)—Victoria scored 231 runs in its first innings against South Africa's touring test match cricket team yesterday. South Africa had put on only 49 for the loss of two wickets when stumps were pulled for the day. The match was delayed from Sunday by rain.

LOPEZ'S SIGNATURE AFFIXED

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 9 (AP)—Al Lopez, first string catcher of the Brooklyn Robins, announced here yesterday that he had signed a contract for his third year with the team.

COLLEGE SWIMMING RESULT

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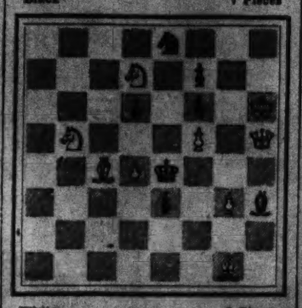

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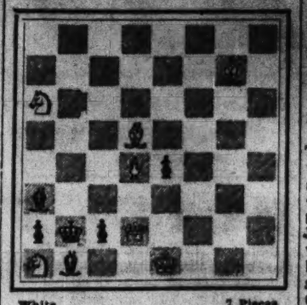

White 7 Pieces

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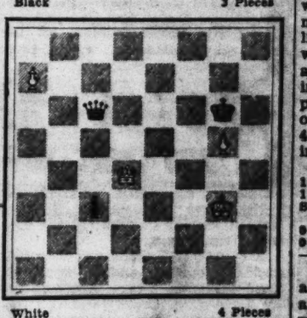
END-GAMES

Queen and pawn endings are generally drawn unless one of the kings can be protected from check while a passed pawn is being forced through. Here is an ending from actual play (Bekker-Moritz, Breslau, 1925). White has a rather subtle way of winning, missed as the game continued. Can you find it?

End-Game No. 82

Black 3 Pieces



White 4 Pieces

White to play and win

NOTES

The Spielmann-Bogoljubow match, played recently at Semmering, resulted in a victory for Spielmann, 6½ to 4½. Bogoljubow began with 2½ out of the first three games, but Spielmann soon evened the score, to win out later. No games have reached this country as yet.

W. E. Napier, 30 years ago a leading master in this country and his native England, recently gave a simultaneous exhibition at the Brooklyn Chess Club, which he first joined years ago as a boy in his teens.

Here is Kashdan's victory from the present British champion. Yates, after graduating losing position in the mid-game, attacks vigorously. But the young American defends himself ingeniously, winning his opponent's Q for two rooks and forcing through a passed P. Kashdan's style seems to be broadening. Here he combines his critical positional judgment with a combination or two which must have taken the able Briton by surprise.

QUEEN'S GAMBIT DECLINED

PETROFF DEFENSE

Stahlberg White	Kashdan Black	Stoltz White	Kashdan Black
1 P-Q4	P-Q4	25 Kt-Kt5	P-B3!
2 P-QB4	P-K2	26 RxB(f)	PxKt
3 Kt-QB3	Kt-KB3	27 R(Kt6)-K2	R-B5
4 Kt-B3	KtxP	28 P-R3	QR-KB
5 P-Q4	P-Q4	29 PxP	Q-Q4
6 B-Q3	Kt-QB3(a)	30 R-K7	RxBP
7 Castles	B-K2	31 QxR	RxQ
8 P-B4	Kt-Kt5	32 KxR	QxQPch
9 PxP	KtxB	33 K-Kt3	QxQKtP
10 QxKt	QxP	34 R(K)-K3	Q-Q8
11 R-K	B-K3	35 R-K8ch	K-R2
12 Kt-B3	KtxKt	36 R(K3)-K5	
13 QxKt	P-QB3		Q-B5ch
14 B-Q2(b)	P-KR3	37 K-R3	P-Kt4
15 R-K5	Q-Q2	38 R-KB5	Q-QB8
16 QR-K	B-K3	39 R(B8)-K5	P-Kt5
17 R(K5)-K4	B-B3	40 R-B5	Q-K6ch
18 Q-R3	P-KR3	41 K-R2	P-Kt6
19 R-K3	Castles(KR)	42 R(QB5)-K5	
20 Kt-K5(c)	Q-Q4		Q-Q7
21 Q-KKt3	B-Kt4!	43 R-K6	Q-B8
22 BxB(d)	PxB	44 R-K7	P-Kt7
23 Kt-B3(e)	P-Kt5	Resigns	
24 R-K5	QxRP		

(a) Not common at this point. Usually Black plays B-K2, the conservative line, or B-Q3, more aggressive. The idea seems to be to avoid withdrawing the Kt at K5, after White plays P-B4.

(b) 14 B-Kt5, P-B3; 15 B-B4, K-B2, and Black is soon out of danger.

(c) 20 P-QR3 is the obvious move. White now gradually gets into an unfavorable position as a result of the next few moves.

(d) Not 22 P-B4, B-B3; 23 P-QR3, B-B4! The R at K4 is decidedly uncomfortable.

(e) If 23 QxP, P-B3; 24 Q-R4 or Kt3, B-B4. If 24 Q-R5, PxKt; 25 RxP, Q-QP! If 24 Q-Kt6, PxKt; 25 RxP, B-B3! The combination gains time to capture the QRP.

(f) After 26 KtxB, PxR; 27 KtxR, RxKt, Black's Q side pawns should win.

Here is an exciting game from Sweden. During December Stahlberg, present champion, and Stoltz, challenger, played a match of six games. The final score was 3 to 3, so that the present champion retains his title. One of his victories follows:

Stahlberg White	Stoltz Black	Stahlberg White	Stoltz Black
1 P-Q4	P-Q4	11 BxKt	PxB
2 P-QB4	P-K2	12 B-R3!	B-K2
3 Kt-QB3	Kt-KB3	13 BxBch	QxB
4 Kt-B3	P-B4	14 Kt-Q4ch!	K-Q
5 B-Kt5	BPxP	15 KtxBPch	K-K
6 KtxP	P-QR4(a)	16 QxQch	KtxQ
7 KKt-Kt5	P-Q5(b)	17 KtxR	RxKt
8 Q-R4(c)	B-Q2(d)	18 KtxB	KxKt
9 Kt-Q5	Kt-R3	19 Castles	R-QB
10 P-KKt3!	R-B7(e)	20 QR-B	Resigns

(a) This game seems to indicate that these center P advances are questionable.

(b) Not 7 . . . P-QR3; 8 KtxP, PxKt; 9 KtxKtch, PxKt; 10 QxQch, KxQ; 11 BxP, etc.

(c) Apparently a new idea with Stahlberg. Griffith and White gives only BxKt at this point.

(d) If 8 . . . PxKt; 9 Kt-B7ch, K-K2; 10 Kt-Q5ch, K-K3; 11 P-KKt3, with a very strong attack.

(e) A fatal blunder. 10 . . . B-K2 allows Black some favorable exchanges and prevents the combination which follows.

Reuben Fine, captain of the champion C. C. N. Y. team, is the most promising of the New York younger players in the Marshall Chess Club championship tournament he is well on the way toward first place, although Thoifsen, previous champion, is only a half point behind. Here is Fine's victory over his team mate, from the Marshall C. C. tournament. Fine handles his pawns with consummate skill, forcing favorable breaks at just the right time. May we call attention to his sixteenth and twenty-third moves?

QUEEN'S GAMBIT

Fine White	Levenstein Black	Fine White	Levenstein Black
1 P-Q4	Kt-KB3	16 P-Q5	KPxP
2 P-QB4	P-B3	17 PxP	KtxKt
3 Kt-QB3	P-Q4	18 BxKt	KR-K
4 Kt-B3	PxP	19 Q-B3	P-B3
5 P-QR4	B-B4	20 B-KKt3	B-Q3(a)
6 P-K3	Kt-K2	21 QR-B	P-Q4(b)
7 BxP	Kt-QKt3	22 P-R4	P-R3
8 Castles	P-K3	23 P-Kt5	RPxP
9 Q-K2	B-K3	24 Q-Ktsch	P-B4
10 P-K4	B-Kt5	25 QxKtP	B-R1
11 R-Q	Q-R4	26 Q-R5	R-R
12 P-R3	B-B4	27 PxP	PxP
13 P-Kt4	B-Kt2	28 R-R7	R-K
14 Kt-K5	CastlesQR	29 RxRch	QxR
15 B-B4	Kt-Q3	30 R-Q	Resigns

TITLE IS WON BY KIECKHEFER

Defeats Otto Reiselt for World's Three-Cushion Championship Honors

THREE-CUSHION BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIP

	W	L	HR	BO
A. H. Kieckhefer	6	3	9	40
Otto Reiselt	7	4	12	37
A. J. Thurnblad	7	4	13	34
G. L. Copulos	7	5	10	41
F. S. Scoville	6	6	8	46
J. M. Layton	6	6	8	36
Jacob Shaefer	5	6	10	31
L. J. Kenney	5	6	7	31
A. K. Hall	5	6	7	46
J. N. Boseman	5	6	11	33
Bernard Wasthus	4	7	7	46
T. S. Denton	3	9	7	30

Special from Monitor Bureau

CHICAGO, Feb. 9—After five years, A. H. "Augie" Kieckhefer of this city is again world's champion at professional three-cushion billiards. He regained the title here last night in the final match, defeating Otto Reiselt of Philadelphia, former champion, who led the standing for the greater part of the tourney, which lasted more than three weeks. Kieckhefer outscored Reiselt, 50 to 27, in 40 innings.

Reiselt must now meet A. J. Thurnblad of Chicago, last year's winner, in a playoff for second place, as each displays 7 games won and 4 lost. Kieckhefer won his eighth game in 11 starts in the tourney, and his tenth title, because his stroke was steadier. Both players performed below championship standard, at the start; but after 16 innings, the Chicagoan found himself while the Philadelphian, except for one brief rally, continued to struggle vainly with the ivories and the angles.

The superb stroke that carried him along on the crest through the balance of the tourney was lacking in Reiselt's play last night. He showed disturbance on a number of shots and especially on two occasions when the balls were spotted. He won the bank and missed the opening shot, which is a standard affair that players of his rank are supposed to make eight times out of ten. Toward the very end of the game, when the balls were frozen and spotted, he missed this shot again.

After leading 10 to 9 in 16 frames, Kieckhefer began collecting caroms with a dash and sparkle that reminded the old timers of the brilliant years nearly two decades ago when he won the title, in tourney and challenge matches, seven times in a row. In 14 innings he scored 32 points, with three runs of 5 and only one blank. This gave him the lead, 44 to 23, in 31 games. The score by innings:

A. H. Kieckhefer—0 0 4 0 2 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 1 1 0 3 2—30. Innings—40. High Run—5. Safeties—2.

Otto Reiselt—0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 3 3 2 x 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 s 1 0 x 2 7—27. Innings—40. High Run—4. Safety—1. Referee—C. H. McElligott.

Kieckhefer had a tourney grand average of 1.003 points an inning, and 522 total points. Thurnblad made a better showing on total points than Reiselt, with 476 against 465; but the latter had the better average, .925 against .863.

In the first game of the three-test series, which is to decide the triangle tie for fourth place, G. L. Copulos of Eugene, Ore., got a fast start on F. S. Scoville of Buffalo, N. Y., and held all the way. Both players shot with extreme deliberation and each proved himself a master of defense. Copulos, 10 points ahead, 40 to 30, went out with a high run of 10 in the forty-ninth. The score by innings:

G. L. Copulos—1 1 0 1 1f 0 3 4 0 0 0 1 0 2 1 0 4 0 0 4 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 2 2 1 1 3 0 0 0 3 0 0 10—50. Innings—49. High Run—10. Foul 1—(one off).

F. S. Scoville—0 0 0 1 0 0 0 4 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 1 0 0—30. Innings—48. High Run—6. Referee—A. G. Cutler.

IDAHO DEFEATED IN CLOSE CONTEST

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

MOSCOW, Idaho, Feb. 9—After leading Oregon State College for 35 minutes, the University of Idaho five dropped an exciting game, 24 to 23, by the umpire's decision. H. J. Grenier '34, tall Idaho center, snapped in a short basket as the gun was fired. The scorers and crowd believed the score valid and the game won for Idaho. Umpire James Mitchell ruled, however, that the ball was held before Grenier shot.

Led by the brilliant shooting of R. A. Barrett '34, Idaho took an early lead, which was gradually increased. The half ended 18 to 9 for Idaho. E. C. Lewis '33, Oregon State's regular center, then went in and strengthened the visitors' offense. Idaho missed a chance to tie the score near the end when Grenier missed a free throw. The summary:

OREGON STATE		IDAHO
Lenchitsky, lf		rg, Hall, Wicks
Davis, Hartwell, Fagans, rf		lg, Lacy
Fagans, Lewis, c		c, Grenier
Merrill, lg		rf, Barrett
Thomas, rg		lf, Herman

Score—Oregon State College 34, University of Idaho 23. Goals from floor—Thomas 4, Lewis 3, Merrill 2, Hartwell, Lenchitsky for Oregon State; Barrett 4, Grenier 3, Herman, Wicks for Idaho. Goals from foul—Fagans 2 for Oregon State; Barrett 2, Hall 2, Herman, Grenier, Wicks for Idaho. Referee—Robert Morris. Umpire—James Mitchell.

HOCKEY PLAYER REINSTATED

MONTREAL, Que., Feb. 9 (AP)—Rene Boileau of the St. Louis Flyers of the American Hockey League has been reinstated in the National Hockey League, it was announced at N. H. L. headquarters here. Boileau formerly played with the Mount Royal League here, the New York Americans and New Haven Eagles.

BROWN'S SALARY RAISED

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 8 (AP)—Lloyd "Lefty" Brown, pitcher for the Washington Senators, announced today he has signed a contract calling for a $1500 raise in salary for 1932.

Feb. 6 Bad Day For Soccer Leaders

LEADING BRITISH ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL STANDINGS

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

	W	D	L	Goals For	Goals Agst	Pts
Everton	17	1	9	89	50	35
Sheffield United	16	2	10	63	44	34
W. Brom. Albion	14	5	9	49	38	33
Huddersfield T.	13	7	7	55	36	33
The Arsenal	13	6	7	60	35	32
Aston Villa	13	5	9	72	51	31
Newcastle Un.	14	3	9	54	47	31
Sheffield Wed.	13	5	9	64	56	31
Birmingham	13	4	10	51	41	30
Liverpool	13	5	10	55	61	29
Manchester City	9	9	10	60	54	27

SECOND DIVISION

Leeds United	17	5	5	59	31	39
Wolv'rh'mpt'n W.	16	6	5	78	33	38
Bury	16	4	7	59	40	36
Plymouth Argyle	13	8	8	64	42	34
Stoke City	14	6	6	36	27	34
Bradford	15	4	6	51	36	34
Millwall Athletic	12	5	10	48	45	29
Bradford City	10	8	9	50	51	28
Swansea Town	13	1	13	54	46	27
Notts County	9	9	9	54	47	27
Tottenham	10	6	11	64	55	26

THIRD DIVISION—Northern Section

Lincoln City	18	2	3	71	26	38
Gateshead	18	3	7	64	32	25
Crewe Alex'n'dra	16	3	7	59	36	35
Southport	13	6	6	39	32	32
Tranmere Rovers	12	7	7	74	40	31
York City	13	5	9	43	42	31
Chester	11	8	6	47	49	30
Hull City	13	3	9	51	33	29
Barrow	14	1	10	50	35	29
Darlington	14	4	9	46	45	28
Wrexham	11	6	9	43	43	28

THIRD DIVISION—Southern Section

Brentford	15	7	4	48	27	37
Fulham	16	5	5	74	42	37
Exeter City	15	5	7	55	40	35
Reading	14	6	8	62	52	34
Watford	13	6	8	59	51	32
Crystal Palace	12	8	7	52	48	32
Norwich City	12	7	7	44	32	31
Brighton & H. A.	12	6	8	45	35	30
Southend United	11	7	9	47	40	29
Coventry City	11	6	10	49

SOUTH AFRICAN STUDENT PARTY VISITS EUROPE

London Found 'Thrilling' and Shop Assistants Most Obliging

Special from Monitor Bureau

LONDON—"London is thrilling!" Even when the snow turned to a dark slush in the streets, and a biting northeaster blew across the river, the 120 young student visitors who arrived from the universities of South Africa still thought it "thrilling," and did not hesitate to say so.

They traveled up from Southampton "through small farmlands where the animals looked fine," and saw, with astonishment, the lawns and paddocks, the small, neatly arranged fields and the low-cut hedges which belong to southern England.

But London has astonished them most. In two days they were hurried, under the guidance of the National Union of Students, through the Tower, and the National Gallery, and St. Paul's; they wandered off singly or in couples to get themselves lost in the tubes, and to rescue themselves by recourse to the taxis "which are so cheap."

They have spent money in the big stores and discovered that English shop assistants will oblige with odd bits of string for obdurate parcels; will climb up and down ladders, or dive under counters in the endeavor to produce the exact thing that is required; will give minute directions as to the route to take to any part of London without once making a mistake.

But the students are not to stay in London. They are to break off in groups and go their various ways.

Twenty-five of them, who are studying engineering at the University of Witwatersrand, have a tour already mapped out which will take them to nearly all the great industrial centers of England and Scotland.

Another 25—these are boys from Diocesan College, Cape Town—having taken an autobus tour round England, will make for France, Holland and Belgium.

The largest group, divided into two parties, will go either to Switzerland for the winter sports, or to central Europe—Germany, Austria, Poland and France—for the purpose of sightseeing.

On Feb. 11, the party will reunite in London and will sail for South Africa on the following day.

IN THE SHIP LANES

THE French Line has recently placed in service between Havre and South America a new vessel typifying all the modernity and appointments of the Ile de France, to serve the fast-growing de luxe trade between Europe and the southern hemisphere.

L'Atlantic, as the new ship is named, is of 40,000 tons gross, 748 feet length, with a speed of 21 knots. She has accommodations for 488 "grande luxe" and first-class passengers, 88 in second, and 662 in third class. The new vessel becomes the largest one engaged in the travel route from Europe to South America—a route which attracts many of the lines operating also from New York, including the German and Italian companies, although many of them operate under slightly different names in the South American trade.

Indian Tour

Economic and political conditions in India, and the world-wide publicity which the Round Table Conference on India caused have led to a marked increase in the number of queries concerning trips to India, according to the Cunard Line. As a result, the company has published a folder making a feature of a tour to India and Ceylon, starting from New York on the Aquitania March 5 for Southampton, transferring there for a vessel bound for the East, and the return is scheduled on the Mauretania, arriving in New York May 27. The 84-day round-trip from New York is based on the prevailing tour rates of approximately $10 per day minimum.

Full Passenger List

The new turbo-electric liner President Coolidge, when it left New York on its second voyage recently carried a passenger list of more than 300 persons. The ship operates through the Panama Canal to California and the Orient.

The President Coolidge is probably the first large vessel leaving New York in regular service which has had a full passenger list since the recession in ocean traffic set in. It is an indication of the potency of constructive and consistent sales-promotion and advertising, proving that even in times of stringency a quality article always will attract customers. The Dollar Line has steadily advertised its California service for several months, and sends its agents a barrage of data This, supplemented by the inauguration of the two new vessels, Presidents Hoover and Coolidge, has given the Dollar Line a commanding position in the intercoastal route, as well as to the Orient.

The futility of the assertion that American vessels do not attract patronage unless they sell liquor is disproved by the fact that the Dollar Line ships are dry.

Russian Cruise

The Cunard Line has scheduled the steamship Lancastria to leave New York June 1, sailing through to Leningrad, Russia, with subsequent calls at Finland. Shipping men view with increasing interest the desire of tourists to visit Russia, the number of Americans touring that country representing a steady increase. On the Lancastria tour, the Cunard Line expects to carry largely professors, teachers, students and economists, and journeys into Russia beyond Leningrad will be under the auspices of the Intourist, which is the Soviet travel bureau.

Mediterranean Trips

Announcing its services through the means of a specimen menu, the American Export Lines call attention to their sailings from New York to various Mediterannean ports. The vessels are new ships carrying only one class of passengers at a nominal rate, these ships including the Exeter, Excalibur, Excambion, and Exochorda. The vessels sail from New York every two weeks, with calls at Marseilles, Naples, Genoa, and Alexandria. They are of 9300 gross tons, being designed to have sufficient space for cargo-carrying throughout the year, combined with passenged quarters restricted to 1400.

Steamship Schedules

The French Line tours to Africa, known as the "Barbaryland Cruises," are being operated this winter as heretofore, and the company states that they have actually been extended by new routes and hotels. By means of these travelers may disembark at ports in Algiers or other states of North Africa, and travel through the desert by motorcar to the various Transat transit hotels, returning to another port for embarkation.

The Cunard Line claims to have carried the largest list of passengers out of New York on a West Indies cruise, with 355 persons sailing recently on the steamship Caledonia.

Total traffic through the Panama Canal for the calendar year 1931 aggregated 4972 transits, compared with 5885 in 1930, and 6430 in 1929. Tolls for 1931 were 22,531,000 for 1930, 26,146,000; for 1929, 27,593,000. The temporary recession in ships transiting the canal, which now represent a daily average of 13.62, deters for the moment the question of building a supplementary canal through Nicaragua, or of three-locking the present canal. A report by the army engineers, however, has indicated the feasibility of a Nicaragua route when and if a canal at that point is deemed essential.

Liner Movements

DEPARTURES

FROM NEW YORK

Thursday, Feb. 11

President Harrison, Dollar, on world service (westward); Europa (12:05 a. m.), North German Lloyd, for Cherbourg, Southampton, Bremen; Deutschland (12:01 a. m.), Hamburg-American, for Cherbourg, Southampton, Hamburg; Pennland, Red Star, for Plymouth, Havre, Antwerp; Augustus, N. G. I., for Palermo, Ville Franche, Genoa; Caledonia, Anchor, on West Indies cruise.

Friday, Feb. 12

American Trader, American Merchant, for London; Adriatic, White Star, for Cobh, Liverpool; Eastern Prince, Furness Prince, east coast South America; Paris, French, Mediterranean cruise; Veendam, Holland America, on West Indies cruise.

Saturday, Feb. 13

Minnewaska, Atlantic Transport, for Cherbourg, London; Cameronia, Anchor, for Belfast, Glasgow; Alaunia Cunard, for Plymouth, Havre, London; Frederick VIII, Scandinavian American, for Oslo, Copenhagen; California (12:01 a.m.), Anchor, on West Indies cruise; Berlin, North German Lloyd, on West Indies cruise; Santa Barbara, Grace, for west coast South America.

Monday, Feb. 15

Berengaria (midnight), Cunard, for Cherbourg, Southampton.

Tuesday, Feb. 16

Vulcania, Cosulich, on West Indies cruise.

Wednesday, Feb. 17

President Harding, United States, for Cobh, Plymouth, Cherbourg; Ile de France (12:05 a. m.), French, for Plymouth, Havre.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO

Thursday, Feb. 11

President Jackson, Dollar, from Orient, for New York; Chicibu Maru, N. Y. K., for Orient.

Friday, Feb. 12

President Coolidge, Dollar, from New York, for Orient.

Saturday, Feb. 13

California, Panama Pacific, for New York.

Wednesday, Feb. 17

Wilhelmina, Matson, for Honolulu; Makura, Union of New Zealand, for Wellington, Sydney.

FROM LOS ANGELES

Saturday, Feb. 13

President Jackson, Dollar, from Orient, for New York; Calawaii, Lassco, for Honolulu.

Monday, Feb. 15

California, Panama Pacific, for New York.

ARRIVALS

DUE NEW YORK

Friday, Feb. 12

President Harding, United States, from Hamburg, Southampton, Cherbourg; New York, Hamburg-American, from Hamburg, Southampton, Cherbourg.

Saturday, Feb. 13

President Hoover, Dollar, from Orient via California ports.

Sunday, Feb. 14

Dresden, North German Lloyd, from Bremen, Galway.

Monday, Feb. 15

American Merchant, American Merchant, from London; Ile de France, French, from Havre, Plymouth; Saturnia, Cosulich, from Trieste, Patras, Naples; Pennsylvania, Panama Pacific, from San Francisco, Los Angeles; Santa Elisa, Grace, from San Francisco, Los Angeles; Santa Inez, Grace, from west coast South America.

Tuesday, Feb. 16

Majestic, White Star, from Southampton, Cherbourg.

Wednesday, Feb. 17

New Amsterdam, Holland America, from Rotterdam, Boulogne, Southampton.

DUE SAN FRANCISCO

Friday, Feb. 12

Wilhelmina, Matson, from Honolulu; Makura, Union of New Zealand, from Sydney, Wellington.

Monday, Feb. 15

Santa Cecilia, Grace, from New York.

Tuesday, Feb. 16

President Adams, Dollar, on world service (westward); Maui, Matson, from Honolulu.

Wednesday, Feb. 17

Tatsuta Maru, N. Y. K., from Orient.

DUE LOS ANGELES

Thursday, Feb. 11

Wilhelmina, Matson, from Honolulu.

Saturday, Feb. 13

Santa Cecilia, Grace, from New York.

Sunday, Feb. 14

President Adams, Dollar, on world service (westward).

British Expedition To Hunt Treasure

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BRIXHAM, Devon, Eng. — The fascination of searching for Spanish treasure in the South Seas is luring an expedition from this harbor shortly when Mr. Stratford D. Jolly, an explorer, will sail for the West Indies and the isles of the southern Pacific in a reconditioned vessel, the Vigilant.

The quest is for the discovery of gold and jewels, reputed to have been stripped from Spanish galleons by pirates and hidden in places which so far have defied all efforts to locate.

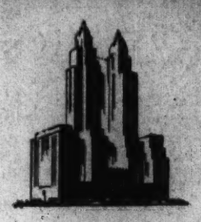
Mr. Jolly was one of the leaders of the Sacambaya expedition in Bolivia. He has searched for lost treasure in Guatemala, penetrated the head waters of the Amazon in launches and canoes, and explored the back rivers of Peru.

MITCHELL TO TESTIFY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 (AP)—The Senate Judiciary Committee yesterday decided to ask Mr. William D. Mitchell, Attorney-General, to appear before it to explain the status of the Government's anti-monopoly suit against the big radio corporations

HOTELS AND RESORTS

New York City



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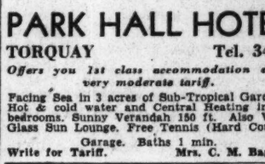

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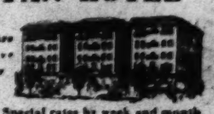

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Stock Market Fluctuations Confined Largely to Fractional Changes

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 (AP)—The stock market settled down around the low levels of the bear cycle today.

The market remained listless, but buyers were even more apathetic than sellers, and save for a brief upturn in the morning, the slow decline persisted. The price average of 90 representative issues was only a shade above the low of Jan. 5 by early afternoon.

Losses were largely fractional, but Santa Fe sagged 2, and du Pont, Consolidated Gas, Nash and Case, 1, going into new low ground.

Leaders making new minimums included New York Central, Santa Fe, Chrysler, Consolidated Gas, du Pont and Chesapeake & Ohio.

U. S. Steel, American Telephone, Allied Chemical, Wrigley and Sears Roebuck lost 1 to 2 points. Auburn broke more than 8. Transactions were in the neighborhood of 1,100,000 shares.

The stubborn downdrift of prices in recent sessions has become rather wearing on Wall Street. But despite prevalent bearishness in speculative quarters, the stock exchange restrictions on short selling and the light volume of selling have made traders wary of the short side of the market. Ordinarily, with the market hesitating around new low ground, bears might be expected to make vigorous efforts to break the list through its previous resistance levels.

Shorts Are Cautious

One factor which undoubtedly is making traders cautious about extending their short commitments is the beginning of operations of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. The corporation's distribution of circulars to prospective borrowers explaining the procedure of applying for loans was regarded as influencing a better tone in railroad bonds. Leading banking quarters, however, are inclined to expect that the full benefits of the corporation's work will be felt only over a period of months.

The low state of corporate earnings, and tardiness of seasonal improvement, remain the chief factors in the rather gloomy speculative atmosphere, although in some important banking quarters the opinion is expressed that a slow and draggy stock market is about the best that can be expected at this phase.

Omission of Illinois Central's preferred dividend had been anticipated, and was counterbalanced by the ordering of the regular quarterly common payment of $2.50 by Norfolk & Western. Union Pacific's dividend meeting on Thursday is awaited with interest. In view of the recent reduction by Santa Fe, some observers are inclined to look for similar action by Union Pacific.

The money market, which has shown a distinctly firm tone occasionally of late, eased somewhat today. One dealer raised the rate on 90-day acceptances, but outside call money was quoted at 2¼ per cent, contrasted with 2½ per cent yesterday, and federal funds were more plentiful.

Better Tone in Bond Market

A steadier tone made its appearance in the bond market today, and volume increased moderately.

United States Government securities, which worked against the general downward trend yesterday, again firmed, several of the issues being especially active.

Their recent tendency has been regarded as somewhat unusual in view of the harder money rates expected for next week when mid-month settlements come due. Interest in the group is being heightened by the large new financing which the Government is expected to do between now and March 15.

Railroad bonds, which have been laboring in a thin and soggy market, offered better resistance. A special move developed in Nickel Plate 6s of 1932, that loan rallying several points under rather active buying. Generally speaking, however, the improvement of carrier obligations was moderate, and only a few issues showed much activity.

Utilities were somewhat mixed. The American Telephone division ruled steady to firm. Columbia Gas 5s, May maturity, and Postal Telegraph 5s softened, but high grade bonds as a group were little changed. International Telephone 5s recovered part of Monday's loss.

The industrial category was quiet. Oil company obligations inclined toward easiness but offerings were inconsequential.

Foreign bonds displayed mild irregularity, but their range of fluctuations was narrow. Japanese issues continued to improve, Tokyo Electric 6s rising more than a point on active inquiry. Government loans were quiet. Ujigawa Electric 7s ran up more than 4 points.

New York Bank Stocks

	Bid	Ask'd		Bid	Ask'd
Chase	33½	35½	Lafalette	10	
Chat Phnx	19	21	Liberty	1½	3½
City	43½	46½	Manhattan	33	35
Columbus		150	Merchants		70
Commercial	139	147	People's		200
Fifth Av	1390	1490	Penn Ex nw	7	11
First, N Y	1485	1585	Public	22	24
Flatbush		70	Textile	30	33
Grace		500	Trade Bnk		80
Harriman	1370	1470	Yorkville	30	40

TRUST COMPANIES

	Bid	Ask'd		Bid	Ask'd
Banca C I	192	200	Fulton	230	255
Bk Eur T	58¾	67¾	Guaranty	262	267
By N Y & T	315	335	Irving	17⅞	18⅞
Bronx	15	18	Kings Co	2300	2400
Brooklyn	198	205	Law Tie&G	87½	92¼
Cn Hanover	136	140	M'facturers	29	31
Corn Exch.	60	63	New York	72	75
County	22	24	Title Guar.	57½	60½
Empire	23	25	Unit States	1490	1590

BOSTON BANK STOCKS

	Bid	Ask'd		Bid	Ask'd
N Shawmut	21½	23	Merchants	360	
First Nat	31½	33½	Second Nat	80	85
Atlntic Nat	13	16	Webstr&Atls	135	135
State St Tr	275				

CHICAGO BANK STOCKS

	Bid	Ask'd		Bid	Ask'd
Central Rep	90	93	Harris Tr&S	298	304
Chi Bk com	17	19	Northern	334	338
Cont Ill	124½	126	Peoples Tr	138	140
First Nat	321	325	Straus Nat	130	140

HERSHEY CHOCOLATE

Wall Street reports on Hershey Chocolate are to the effect that the 1931 statement may be less favorable than previously estimated. The abnormal weather during the winter affected the sale of the company's products, it is claimed.

TUESDAY'S NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS

Closing Prices

1932 High	1932 Low	Div. in $		Sales	High	Low	Last	Feb. 9	Feb. 8
2¾	2		Abitibi Pow & P	100	2¼	2¼		2¼	
5¾	3¾		Adams Express	700	4¼	4		4¼	4¼
62	62	5	Adams Exp pf	100	62	62		62	
3½	2¾		Advance Rumely	1900	3¼	3¼		3¼	3
15⅝	13¾	1.60	Affiliated Prod	600	13½	13½		13½	
59¾	46⅞	4¾	Air Reduction	1500	47⅞	46⅞		46⅞	46½
18⅝	11⅞	.50	Alaska-Juneau	8100	14¾	13⅝		13⅝	13⅝
3½	1¼		Alleghany Corp	900	3¼	3		3	
7⅞	2½		Allegh pf ww xxx	100	7½	6¾		6¾	2½
6¼	3¼		Alleghany pf xw	100	4¼	4¼		4¼	4½
74⅝	63¼	6‡	Allied Chem	6700	66½	64½		64½	65⅞
13⅝	10½	.50	Allis Chalmers	1700	11⅝	11¼		11⅜	11⅝
7½	5⅞		Am Ag Ch Del	300	5½	5⅝		5⅝	
16½	10	2	Am Bank Note	3000	13⅝	13		13⅜	13⅝
3¼	⅝		Am Beet Sugar	100	⅞	⅞		⅞	
15½	12¼	1.60	Am Brake S&F	100	13	12¼		12¼	
65⅞	54½	5‡	Am Can	18100	58⅝	56½		57⅜	57⅝
8½	6¼		Am Car & Fdry	300	7	7		7	7⅛
84⅞	35	7	Am Car & F pf	6000	30½	28½		30½	28
6	3	2	Am Chain	100	5¼	5¼		5¼	
28	24	7	Am Chain pf	300	24½	24		24	
35	20	3‡	Am Chicle	100	32½	32½		32½	33½
8½	6½		Am Com Alcohol	200	7½	6¾		7¼	
8¼	6¼		Am & For Pow	2100	6¾	6¾		6¾	6½
33	21½	6	Am & For Pow 6	300	22	21½		21⅞	
17¼	11½		Am & For Pw 2pf	100	11½	11½		11½	12
7	5		Am International	2900	5⅝	5¼		5½	5½
6⅞	4⅜		Am Metal	400	4⅜	4⅜		4⅜	4⅜
19½	16		Am Metal 6%	100	16⅝	16⅝		16⅝	17⅜
16⅜	13	1	Am Power & Lt	1400	13½	13½		13¼	13⅝
58	48	6	Am P&L 6% pf	200	51	48		48	50⅝
9	6	.40	Am Radiator	3600	6¾	6		6½	6⅝
10½	7⅞		Am Rolling Mill	400	8¾	8½		8⅝	8½
25½	21⅜	5	Am Safety Razor	800	23¼	22½		23¼	23¼
18⅝	13⅜	.50	Am Smelt & Ref	1700	13⅜	12¾		13⅛	13
50¾	41	6	Am Smelt&R 2pf	300	50	50		50	
8⅜	5⅝		Am Solvents & C	900	½	¼		¼	¼
35¼	33¼	2½	Am Steel Fdries	600	6½	6		6⅛	6¼
124¾	107¾	9	Am Stores	100	35	35		35	35
32½	25½	3	Am Tel & Tel	34100	112⅜	110⅜		111	112
24¾	15½		Am Wat W&E	800	26½	26		26¼	26½
12⅜	8⅞		Am Woolen pf	500	20½	19¾		19⅞	20½
16	13	2.40	Anaconda Cop	9800	9¼	8⅞		9	9⅛
3⅞	3⅜		Anchor Cap	300	13	13		13	
40	32	7	Andes Copper	100	3⅞	3⅞		3⅞	
1½	1		Armour Del pf	200	36	36		36	36¾
9½	6⅜		Armour Ill A	600	1¼	1⅛		1⅛	1⅛
7½	1½		Armour Ill pf	100	8½	8½		8½	
8⅝	5⅝	8%	Art Metal Const	300	7½	7½		7½	
8¼	5½		Asso Dry Goods	500	6	6		6	
9¾	6		Asso Oil	10	8	8		8	8
94	71½	6	Atchison T&SF	5700	73¾	71½		71¾	73⅜
86	76⅛	4	Atchison pf	200	82¼	82¼		82¼	83¾
41½	25¼	4	Atl Coast Line	100	28½	28½		28½	28½
10¾	8⅝	1	Atl Refining	900	8⅞	8⅝		8¾	8⅞
25½	17½	2	Atlas Powder	100	18¼	18¼		18¼	18¼
79½	73	4‡	Atlas Powder pf	2000	73¼	73		73	73¼
151¾	96½	4‡	Auburn Auto	32700	108¾	96½		97¼	106
3½	2⅜		Aviation Corp Del	800	2⅝	2⅝		2⅝	2¾
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8½	4½		Baldwin Loco	800	6¾	6½		6½	6
28½	16½		Baldwin Loco pf	6000	18⅜	17⅜		18⅜	17¼
21⅜	12¾		Balt & Ohio	6300	16	14⅞		15	15½
41½	27½	4	Balt & Ohio pf	600	31	30½		30⅝	31
2¼	2		Barker Bros	20	2	2		2	
4¾	4		Barnsdall A	1900	4⅝	4¼		4¼	4⅜
45½	36¾	4	Beatrice Cream	400	36⅞	36¾		36¾	37
3½	2⅜		Belding Hem	200	2¾	2¾		2¾	2⅞
18¾	15¼	1	Bendix Aviation	800	15⅜	15¼		15¼	15½
24¼	19¾	2	Best & Co	800	21⅝	21⅜		21⅜	21⅝
22⅝	15⅞		Bethlehem Steel	5800	17⅞	16¼		16¼	17
8¾	7	.50	Blaw Knox	300	7	7		7	
39¾	34¾	3‡	Borden	1400	36¼	35⅞		36	36¼
12¼	9	1	Borg Warner	1300	9⅞	9½		9½	9⅝
14½	10⅛		Boston & Maine	400	12⅝	11⅝		11⅝	
10½	8½	2	Briggs Mfg	700	8⅝	8		8	8⅛
41⅜	20½	4	Briggs & Strat	500	8¾	8⅛		8¼	9
78	68	6	Brooklyn Man T	7100	40½	38⅝		38⅝	40
82½	72½	6	Brooklyn M T pf	200	71	71		71	70
83½	72½	5	Brooklyn Q pf	100	50	50		50	
2	1⅜		Brooklyn Un Gas	300	74⅝	73		75	74½
2¾	1¾		Brunk Terminal	200	1½	1½		1½	
4½	2⅝		Budd Mfg	800	2	1¾		1¾	2
3½	3		Budd Wheel	1100	3¼	2¾		2¾	3¼
2⅞	2¾		Bulova Watch	300	3	3		3	
1½	½		Burns Bros A	300	2⅞	2¾		2⅞	
12¾	9⅞	.80	Burns Bros B	400	½	½		½	
15⅝	10½		Burroughs Add	3100	10⅛	9⅞		10	10¼
55	50	7	Byers	600	11¾	11½		11½	11½
			Byers pf	1000	55	55		55	
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10½	8½		Calif Packing	100	10	10		10	10
½	¼		Callahan Z & L	200	¼	¼		¼	⅜
7⅛	5½		Campbell Wy & C	200	5½	5½		5½	6
4	3		Calumet & Hecla	400	3⅛	3		3	3
13½	10	1.20	Canada Dry	200	10⅛	10		10	10
16	10⅞	1¼	Canadian Pacific	3500	13⅜	13⅛		13¼	14⅛
6	4¼		Capital Admin	100	4¼	4¼		4¼	4¼
43⅜	26⅜		Case Thresh	23500	28½	26⅜		26⅞	27⅞
75	49⅛	7	Case Thresh pf	100	55¾	55		55¾	51
15	11	1	Caterpillar Trac	300	11½	11		11	11⅜
1½	1		Cavanagh Dobbs	100	1¾	1¾		1¾	
10	7⅝		Canagh D pf	100	13	13		13	
5	3¾		Celanese Corp	100	3⅜	3¼		3⅜	
12½	11½	1½	Central Aguirre	300	11½	11½		11½	11⅞
6¼	5		Century Ribbon	100	5½	5½		5½	
15	9¾	1	Cerro de Pasco	2400	10⅜	9¾		9⅞	9⅞
2⅞	2½		Certain-Teed	100	2⅞	2⅞		2⅞	2⅞
7	4¾		Checker Cab Mfg	200	6	6		6	6½
20⅝	13	3	Chesapeake Corp	3200	14	13¼		13¼	13⅝
31½	21⅜	2½	Ches & Ohio	9600	22¾	21⅜		21⅝	22
13½	9⅜		Chi & Gt W pf	200	10	10		10	10¼
3¼	1¾		Chi Mil & St P	400	2⅜	2¼		2⅜	2¼
5¼	2¾		Chi Mil & St P pf	200	3¾	3¾		3¾	3⅝
12⅝	6		Chi & N'western	2400	8¾	7¾		7¾	8⅛
31	17		Chi & N'west pf	100	20	20		20	
6¾	3¾		Chi Pneu Tool	100	5¼	4¾		4¾	5½
16⅜	8½		Chi Rock Isl & P	900	10⅝	10¼		10¼	10¼
24½	11½		Chi RI&P 6%	200	16	14¼		14¼	15½
27½	15		Chi RI&P 7%	400	17¼	16½		16½	17¾
7½	5		Childs Company	100	5⅜	5		5	
15¾	10½		Chrysler	19000	11⅜	10½		10⅝	11¼
27½	25½	3.60	City Ice & Fuel	100	27	27		27	
2	⅝		City Stores	1500	1⅛	1		1⅛	1
17½	15½	2	Cluett Peabody	100	16	15¾		15⅞	16
114½	87½	7½	Coca Cola	4100	105	102⅛		102¾	104½
30¼	26⅛	2½	Colgate-Palm P	100	29	29		29	29
15¼	11⅝		Columbia Gas	2000	12½	12		12¼	12¾
38½	28¾	3	Columbian Carb	1200	29⅜	28¾		29¼	28¾
23	15½	2	Comm Inv Tr	400	19¼	19⅛		19⅛	19
9½	7¼		Comm Solvents	2900	7¾	7½		7⅝	7⅞
4⅞	3½	.30	Comwith & So	3400	3⅞	3¾		3⅞	3¾
68⅜	59	6	Comwith & S 6pf	200	59¼	59		59¼	59½
9⅞	8	1	Congoleum Nairn	500	10	9¼		10	8⅞
5⅝	3¾		Consol Film Ind	200	3⅞	3⅞		3⅞	3½
11½	8⅝	2	Consol Film I pf	100	9½	9½		9½	9½
64¾	55		Consol Gas	11400	57	55		55¼	56⅞
93	89¼	5	Consol Gas pf	400	89⅞	89⅞		89⅞	90
10⅞	9	1	Consol Laundries	100	9¼	9¼		9¼	9⅜
⅝	⅜		Consol Textile	100	½	½		½	½
1⅛	¾		Container B	400	¾	¾		¾	¾
7	4⅞		Cont Baking A	300	5	4⅞		4⅞	5⅜
1	⅝		Cont Baking B	100	¾	¾		¾	¾
37⅛	31¾	2½	Cont Can	1500	34	33⅜		34	33½
24⅜	19	2.40	Cont Insurance	1700	19½	19		19⅛	19½
6⅞	5⅜		Cont Oil	1300	5⅞	5⅜		5⅜	5⅜
¾	⅜		Cont Shares	400	⅝	½		½	½
45⅜	37	3	Corn Products	1700	40	39		39½	40½
14¾	12¾	2.40	Crown Cork & S	100	12¾	12¾		12¾	
24	21⅜	2.70	Crown Cork pf	100	21⅜	21⅜		21⅜	21⅜
1⅞	1½		Crown Zellerback	100	1¾	1¾		1¾	
49⅞	42	7	Crucible Steel pf	10	46½	46½		46½	45
8½	7¼		Cuban Am S pf	10	7½	7½		7½	
33½	30	4	Cudahy Packing	100	30	30		30	30
31	22	2	Curtis Publishing	200	23¾	22		22½	23
86	75	7	Curtis Pub pf	100	75	75		75	75½
2¾	1¾		Curtiss-Wright	1300	1⅞	1¾		1¾	1⅞
3⅜	1⅞		Curtiss-Wright A	300	2¼	2¼		2¼	2¼
10	7½		Cutler Hammer	100	8	8		8	
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15¼	10	1.40	Deere & Co pf	1200	10¼	10		10¼	10½
28¾	17⅞		Del Lack & W	1500	19	17⅞		18⅛	18¼
122	107½	8	Detroit Edison	400	108½	107⅜		107½	107½
5½	5		Detroit & Mack	200	5	5		5	
14¼	12½	1	Diamond Match	100	13¾	13⅜		13⅜	14
14½	11⅞	1.20	Diamond M pf	100	22⅝	22⅜		22⅝	22¾
13⅞	7¾	1¼	Dominion Stores	100	17⅝	17⅜		17⅝	14¾
12½	10¼	2	Douglas A	100	10½	10½		10½	10¼
57⅞	46¼	4	Dresser B	100	11½	11½		11½	11½
100½	98	6	Du Pont de Nem	24200	48⅝	46¼		46¾	47⅞
			Du Pont deb	100	99⅜	99⅜		99⅜	100
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87⅞	73	5‡	Eastman Kodak	1000	78¼	75⅛		75⅞	77
1¼	½		Eitingon Schild	200	½	½		½	⅝
6¼	6¼		Eitingon S pf	100	6¼	6¼		6¼	6
31½	24⅝	4	Elec Auto-Lite	3400	26	24⅞		24⅞	26
4	2¾		Elec Boat	100	1½	1½		1½	
3½	2¼		Elec & Mus Ind	400	3⅜	3⅛		3⅛	3⅛
13½	10½	1	Elec Pow & Lt	2100	11⅞	11		11	11⅛
32	25½	4	Elec Sto Battery	1000	30¼	30		30	30
103½	100½	7	Endicott John pf	100	104	104		104	
23⅜	18	1.60	Engineers Pub S	100	22	22		22	
59	42½	6	Engineers PS 6pf	10	56⅝	56⅝		56⅝	
19	17½	2½	Equitable Off Bld	200	18	18		18	18
13½	7¾		Erie RR 1pf	200	8¾	8½		8½	9
3¼	3½		Eureka Vacuum	100	3½	3½		3½	
11¾	9¾	1¼	Exchange Buffet	30	10	10		10	10
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5¾	4¼		Fairbanks Morse	100	4¼	4¼		4¼	
3⅝	3	.20	Fed Motor Tr	300	3½	3½		3½	
5½	3½		Fed Water Serv	100	3¾	3⅝		3⅝	
27¾	20	2.60	Fidelity Ph F In	1200	20	20		20	20½
15	12¼	1	Firestone T&R	100	12⅜	12		12⅛	12⅛
59½	50¼	6	Firestone T&R pf	100	53	53		53	53
⅝	⅜		Fisk Rubber	1400	¼	⅛		⅛	⅛
11¼	8		Foster-Wheeler	700	8½	8⅛		8⅛	
19⅞	15⅝	1.10	Fourth Nat Inv	100	15⅞	15⅝		15⅝	16⅛
5⅝	2¾		Fox Film A	100	3½	3¼		3¼	3⅜
32	29	6.77	Fuller 2pf	10	32	32		32	
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17⅞	11⅝		Gabriel Snub A	100	11⅝	11⅝		11⅝	
17½	13¼	3	Gamewell	30	13½	13¼		13¼	13⅞
38⅜	31⅝		Gen Am Inv	800	2⅝	2½		2½	
33½	28	4	Gen Am Tnk Car	400	30	28½		29¼	
15½	11		Gen Asphalt	400	11¾	11		11	
15	11	2	Gen Baking	400	14½	14¼		14¼	
3⅜	2		Gen Bronze	100	2	2		2	
2¾	1¾		Gen Cable	200	2	2		2	
3½	2		Gen Cable A	300	4¾	4¾		4¾	
25¼	19	2.40	Gen Cable pf	20	12	11½		11½	
17⅞	15⅞	1.60	Gen Electric	17400	18⅜	17⅞		17⅞	
38⅜	31⅝	3	Gen Elec Sp	1100	11	10⅞		11	
24⅛	19⅝	2	Gen Foods	1700	40	39		39½	
3⅜	1⅝	6	Gen Gas & E A	100	3½	3		3¼	
24⅝	19½	3	Gen Mills	100	35⅞	35½		35½	
86⅜	80½	5	Gen Motors	67100	30½	29⅞		30⅛	
4	3⅜		Gen Mot 5% pf	100	81	81		81	80⅝
56	44	6	Gen Out Ad	100	4	3½		4	4
5	3½		Gen Print Ink pf	10	56	56		56	
28¾	20½	5	Gen Ry Signal	400	31½	29½		30½	22
1⅜	¾		Gen Realty	300	¾	¾		¾	
1½	½		Gen Theo Equip	400	⅝	⅝		⅝	
58¼	50	6	Gillette Saf Ras	1000	14	13		13½	13⅞
31	23	7	Gillette S R pf	100	32	32		32	
6¼	5⅜	7	Gimbel Bros pf	100	23	23		23	
19⅜	10	2½	Gobel (Adolf)	1400	5⅝	5¼		5½	6⅛
5⅝	3⅜		Gold Dust	1100	16¾	16⅛		16⅜	16⅝
17	12		Goodrich	100	4	4		4	
7	4		Goodrich pf	100	15	15		15	
17⅞	12⅜	1	Goodyear	2100	13⅜	13⅛		13⅛	13¾
58⅝	43	7	Goodyear 1pf	100	50½	50½		50½	
10	7⅛		Gotham Silk Hos	1400	9¼	9		9⅜	9¾
4⅜	3⅛		Graham Paige	4100	3½	3¼		3	
3¾	3½		Grand-Sil Stores	2300	1⅝	1½		1⅝	
29⅝	25⅛	1	Grant (WT)	100	25⅝	25⅛		25⅛	
25	16½	2	Great Nor pf	2400	17½	16⅞		17⅛	
27½	25	2	Great Nor Ore	400	12¼	12		12	
80	70	7	Great West Sug	400	5⅝	5½		5½	
1¾	1		Great W Sug pf	30	73⅞	70		70	
			Grigsby-Grunow	1400	1⅛	1		1	
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2¼	1⅜		Hahn Dept Sto	400	1¾	1⅝		1¾	
15	14¼	6½	Hahn D pf	400	14½	14⅛		14⅛	
11⅛	10	1.30	Hall Printing	100	10½	10		10⅛	
15	9¾	.50	Harbison Walker	100	10⅞	10		10⅛	
1½	1⅛		Hayes Body	100	1⅜	1⅛		1⅛	
82	70½	6	Hershey Choc	100	74¼	74¼		74¼	
7¾	6¼		Hollander	400	7¼	7¼		7¼	
11⅞	10½	1	Holland Furnace	400	10½	10½		10½	
3¼	3½		Houdaille Her B	100	3¼	3¼		3¼	
23⅜	16¼		Houston Oil	100	17	16½		16¾	
4⅞	3½		Houston Oil new	200	3⅜	3¼		3¼	

1932 High	1932 Low	Div. in $		Sales	High	Low	Last	Feb. 9	Feb. 8
57½	34½	4.30	Household Fin pf	100	53½	53½		53½	
16½	10⅝		Howe Sound	100	10⅝	10⅝		10⅝	10⅝
11⅜	8½	1	Hudson Motor	1100	8⅝	8½		8½	8¾
6¬3	3¾		Hupp Motors	1400	3¾	3¾		3½	3½
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16½	9¼		Ill Central	6100	13⅝	11⅜		11¾	11⅞
35½	21	6	Ill Central pf	100	31	21		31	
1⅝	1		Indian Motor	100	⅞	⅞		⅞	
17⅜	11		Indian Motor pf	10	11	11		11	
1⅜	¾		Indian Refin	300	1⅜	1⅜		1⅜	1½
32⅜	23½	4	Indus Rayon	700	28½	28¼		28¼	28½
36⅜	27½	4	Ingersoll-Rand	1300	30½	30		30	30
4¼	3		Inspiration Cop	800	3¼	3		3¼	3
8	4½	.50	Insuranshare Del	300	5½	5		5½	5
3⅞	2½	.25	Insuranshare Md	300	3⅝	3⅝		3⅝	5⅝
1¼	¾		Interboro R T ed	2300	10⅜	10		10	
1½	¾		Interlake Iron	800	3½	3		3½	3½
4½	3½		Int Agr Corp pf	100	3½	3½

QUIET TONE DEVELOPS IN CLOTH MARKET

Buying Is Confined to Immediate Needs and Volume Reduced

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Feb. 9—Cotton cloth buyers were reluctant last week to follow the stiff advances made by the mills at the end of the previous week. Those advances were made on the news of the regulation plans published on Jan. 30.

It was expected that there would be a strong demand on the assurance of price stability, and the mills marked up their prices about ¼c above the previous recent advances.

Buying was therefore confined almost exclusively to immediate needs, and was considerably reduced in volume. Some converters who had made forward commitments at the low prices of early January found profit in offering some of their surplus goods below the mill prices. These offerings were quickly absorbed, and mills made some sales at the new prices.

Merchandising Is Poor

About midweek, after the second-hand offerings had been exhausted, the prevailing quietness led some mills to accept bids below the established levels and a drop of about ¼c was recorded on most active print cloth numbers. This caused many buyers to withdraw from the market awaiting further concessions. They describe the week as one of very poor merchandising on the part of the mills.

The 39-inch 80x80s, 4.00-yard print cloth, sold at 5⅞c for actual spots, 5¾c for February, 5⅝c for March, and 5½c for April, and later delivery. The 72x76s, 4.25-yard, developed a marked scarcity of quick goods which were taken at 5½c when found, March delivery brought 5⅜ and later 5¼c.

The 68x72s, 4.75-yard, sold early at 4⅜c for future and 4½c for spot, but later any delivery could be had for 4⅜c. Early sales of 38½-inch, 64x60s, 5.35-yard, were made at 4c for spots, but later all deliveries brought 3⅞c.

Narrow print cloths were firm and in good demand. The bag trade took good volumes of a number of constructions. The 27-inch, 64x60, 7.60-yard, sold at 2⅞c, with the nearest delivery available placed at late February.

The 28-inch of the same count brought 3c for near-by and 3⅛c for later delivery, and the 32-inch, 64x 60s, 6.50-yard, 3⅛c for spot and 3¼c for later delivery.

Pajama checks sold spasmodically for 4⅜c for 36½-inch, 72x80s, 4.70-yard, and at 5½c for 88 squares, 4.00-yard. There was a good call for 37-inch 3.95-yard drills at 3⅞c to 4c, according to quality. Osnaburgs moved in light volume at 5½c for the 40-inch, 7-ounce goods, and at 3⅜c for 36-inch, 3.90-yard.

Broadcloths Are Quiet

The demand for carded broadcloths was somewhat diminished. Most numbers were quiet, but the 37-inch 100x60s 4.10-yard continued in strong demand at 6½c for spot and some futures; other futures deliveries brought 6c. The 90x60 moved at 4½c, and the 80x56 5.10-yard at 4¼c. There were light sales of 112x 60 3.85-yard at 6½c.

Sheetings were active and firm. This section was noticeable as being more stable than print cloths, since each advance had been accompanied by good buying before the next advance was posted. This has largely eliminated the probability of later weakness in case of diminished demand.

The 31-inch 48 square 5.00-yard and the 36-inch of the same count and weight sold at 3¼c. The 36-inch 48x44 3.25-yard brought 4⅝c and the 40x38 3.90-yard 3¾c for future but 4c for spot delivery. The 40-inch 44x40 5.50-yard moved at 3¼c for future and 3⅜c for spot delivery.

In the fine and fancy goods division trade was only moderately active, and consisted mostly of small orders for a great variety of styles. Much of the business was directly traced to cautious but steady buying of finished goods.

The aggregate sales made a fair volume for the week. Buyers seemed reluctant to place orders for future needs. Mills interpret this as a good sign as it leaves a large unfilled demand which is expected to develop into a good buying movement before long.

The recent notice by finishers of an advance of ¼c a yard for finishing sheer fabric produced a demand for quick goods to be delivered before the advance took effect on Feb. 8.

Fair Combed Lawns Volume

Combed lawns sold in moderate volume at 6¼c-6¾c for 40-inch 9.00 yard 76x72s. Interest in combed lawns shifted to other counts both higher and lower, the 40-inch 7.50-yard 96x92s increased in price from 9¼-¼c early to 9¼-½c later.

Carded lawns sold at 4¾-5c for 72x56s 36-inch 10.25-yard and the 72x60s 10.00-yard at 4⅞c southern but eastern makes brought 5-5¼c. Combed ratines created considerable interest last week.

There was moderate buying of 37-inch 3.00-yard combed ratines in various counts at around 7c a yard, but the individual orders were small. Voiles were taken in moderate quantities generally in the hard twists.

In the rayon and rayon mixed goods there was an increase of buying of all rayon panne satin at 40c for the 225x64s 40-inch 150 denier goods for quick delivery, but buyers were not interested in future deliveries. Small sales were made of all ascetate 320x96s at 70c. The demand for quick deliveries of rayon French crepes has become so intense that premiums of 1c a yard are paid over contract prices.

The 112x64s 40-inch French crepe with low luster warp and voile twist filling using 100 denier 40-filament yarn both ways sold at 27c-27½c, deliveries running into April. The 96x52s with similar yarn specifications sold at 23-24c.

INTERSTATE TRANSIT LINES

CHICAGO, Feb. 9—Interstate Transit Lines, jointly controlled by Chicago & North Western and Union Pacific, and Greyhound Lines, agreed to cooperate to the fullest extent in providing a coördinated traffic service. Interstate will take over bus operations of Pickwick-Greyhound Lines between Chicago and Omaha via Des Moines.

New York Bond Market

(Quotations to 1:30 p. m.)

	High	Low
Ab Straus 5½s '43	82¾	82¾
Alleghany Corp 5s '44	35	34
Alleghany Corp 5s '49	31½	31¼
Alleghany Corp 5s '50	28½	27¾
Amer Cyanamid 5s '42	75	75
Amer & Foreign Pow 5s 2030	39½	38½
Amer I G Chem 5½s '49	67¾	67½
Amer Ice Co 6s '53	68½	68
Amer Inter 5½s '49	68¾	68
Amer Smelting 5s '47	83	83
Amer Sugar Refining 6s '37	101½	101½
Amer T&T 4½s '39 cv	101⅝	101
Amer T&T col 5s '46	98	98⅛
Amer T&T deb 5s '80	98	98½
Amer T&T 5s '65	98	98⅝
Amer T&T deb 5½s '43	101¾	101¼
Amer WW & Elec 5s '34	83½	83¼
Amer Writing Paper 6s '47	23	22
Anglo-Chile Nit 7s '45	12	12
Ann Arbor 1st 4s '95	38¼	35
Armour & Co 4½s '39	72¾	72½
Armour & Co of Del 5½s '43	61¾	61
Atch T&SF adj 4s '95	78½	78¼
Atch T&SF adp 4s '95 sta	76	76
Atch T&SF adj 4s '95 sta	76	76
Atch T&SF gen 4s '95	85	84¾
Atch T&SF 4s '05	81	81
Atch T&SF 4s '09	73	73
Atch T&SF 4½s '48	91½	91½
Atch T&SF Rky Mt 4s '65	82	81¾
Atlanta & Danv 1st 4s '48	23¼	23
Atl Coast Line 1st con 4s' 52	76½	76
Atl Gulf & WI col 5s' 59	40	40½
Baldwin Loco 5s '40	101	101
Balt & Ohio 1st 4s'48	81	81
Balt &Ohio 4s Tol & C div '59	56	56
Balt & Ohio 4½s '33	80¼	79½
Balt & Ohio 4½s cv '60	50¾	49¼
Balt & Ohio rfg 5s '95	61⅜	60
Balt & Ohio 5s ct Swn div '50	75	75
Balt & Ohio 1st 5s ct '48	90¾	90¾
Balt & Ohio 5s series D 2000	60	60
Balt & Ohio rfg 4s '95	71	70¼
Bell Tel of Pa rfg 5s '48 B	100¼	100
Bell Tel of Pa 5s '60 C	100	99⅞
Ben Ind Loan 6s '46	75¾	75¼
Beth Steel pur mon 5s '36	93	92¾
Botany Cons Mills 6½s '34	18¼	16¼
Bow-Biltmore s f g 7s '34	41¾	41½
Bklyn Ed gen 5s A '49	97¾	97¾
Bklyn-Man Tr sf 4s '68	86¼	85½
Buff Gen Elec 4½s B '81	91⅞	91⅞
Bush Term con 5s '55	60½	60
Calif Fruit P 5s '38	66	65
Calif Gas & Elec 5s '37	101	101
Calif Petroleum deb 5½s '38	69	69
Can Nat Ry 7½s '51	76¼	75⅝
Can Nat Ry 4½s '56	76¼	75½
Can Nat Ry 5s July '69	81⅝	81½
Can Nat Ry 5s Oct '69	81¾	81¾
Can North deb 6½s '46	96¼	95¾
Can North deb 7s '40	94¾	94½
Can Pacific 4½s '46	71¼	71¼
Can Pacific 4½s '60	71	71
Can Pacific 5s '54	74½	74½
Cen Hud Gas 5s	97¼	96¾
Cen Ill El 5s 1st 5s '51	73	72
Cen Pacific 1st 4s '49	77	76½
Cen Pacific 5s '60	70	66
Ches Corp 5s '47	69¾	69
Ches & O cv 4½s A '93	81¼	81¼
Ches & O gen 4½s '92	88¼	88¼
Ches & O con 5s '39	100½	100½
Ches & O 4½s B	81¾	81
Chicago B & Q gen 4s '58	84¾	84½
Chicago B & Q rfg 5s '71	93¾	93¾
Chicago & Erie RR	80⅞	80⅞
Chicago & East Ill 5s '51	14	14
Chicago Gt West 4s '59	51	50½
Chicago Ind & L gen 5s '66	32½	30
Chicago Ind & L gen 6s '66	35	35
Chicago M&StP 4¾s	66	66
Chicago M&StP 4½s rcts E '89	65½	65½
Chicago M StP&Pac adj 2000	9½	9½
Chicago M StP&Pac 5s '75	36	34⅞
Chicago & Nw 4½s 2037	39	38¾
Chicago & Nw 4¾s cv '49	28½	27
Chicago & Nw 4½ C	39¼	39¼
Chicago & Nw deb 5s '33 reg	72	72
Chicago Railway 5s '27	46½	46½
Chicago RI&P rfg 4s '34	57½	57½
Chicago RI&P 4½s '52 A	52	50½
Chicago RI&P 4½s cv '60	36½	36
Chicago Un Sta 5s B '63	99¼	99
Chicago Un Sta 6½s C '63	107⅜	107⅜
Chile Copper 5s '47	50	49¾
Cin Un Terminal 4½s A 2020	90	90
Cin Un T 5s Rct	95⅞	95⅛
Clev CC&StL rfg 5s D '63	74½	74½
Clev CC&StL 6s C '41	95	95
Clev CC&StL StL div 4s '90	68	68
Clev Un Term 4½s '77	80	80
Clev Un Term 5s '73	90	90
Clev Un Term 5½s '72	94½	94
Colonial Oil 6s '38	34	34
Colo & So 1st rfg 4½s '35	90	90
Columbia G & E Co 5s deb '61	74⅞	74⅞
Columbia Gas & E 5s '52 Apr.	77½	77½
Columbia Gas & E 5s '52 May	76	76
Com Cred Co 6s '34	92	92
Com Inv Trust 5½s '49	80½	80¼
Con Coal (Md) rfg 5s '50	19¼	19¼
Con Gas 4½s '51	90	89¾
Con Gas Co deb 5½s '45	101½	101
Consum Pow un 5s '52	97¾	97¾
Crown Cork & Seal 6s '47	80	80
Crown Wil Paper 6s '51	70	69¾
Crown Zellerbach 6s ww '40	52	52
Cuba Nor Ry 5½s '42	18¼	18¼
Del & Hudson rfg 4s '43	81⅞	81⅞
Del Pow & Lt 4½s '71	88	88
Den & Rio G Wn 5s '55	28½	28½
Detroit Ed 4½s D '61	90¼	90¼
Detroit Ed col 5s '33	100¼	100¼
Detroit Ed 5s '49	96	95½
Detroit Riv Tun 4½s '61	80	80
Dodge Bros sf 6s '40	81	81
Duquesne P & L 4½s '67	94½	94⅜
Erie RR 1st con 4s '96	71	71
Erie RR ref 5s '67	38¾	38¾
Erie RR gen lien	57	57
Erie RR gen 5s '75	40	39
Fisk Rubber 8s '41	23	23
Fla East Coast 5s '74 ct	5	5
Gen Cable Corp 5½s '47	44¼	44¼
Gen Mot Acc Corp 6s '37	99¼	99
Gen Petroleum 5s '40	98	98
Gen Pub Svc 5½s '39	76	76
Gen Theater Equip 6s '40	4	4
Goodrich 6s '45	39½	39
Goodyear Tire 5s '57	73¼	73
Gotham S Hos '36	75¼	75¼
Gould Coupler 6s '40	23	23
Grand Tk Ry Can 6s '36	91¼	91
Grand Tk Ry Can 7s '40	94¼	94¼
Great Northern 7s '36 A	91¾	91
Gulf & Ship Is RR 5s	30	30
Houston Oil 5½s '40	63	63
Hudson & Man adj in 5s '57	57	57
Hudson & Man rfg 5s '57	81½	80¾
Humble Oil 5½s '32	100¼	100¼
Ill Bell Tel rfg 5s '56	98	97¾
Ill Central rfg 4s '55	46½	45¾
Ill Central 4¾s '66	38	37
Ill Central CSstY&NO 4½s '63	35½	35
Ill Steel dem 4½s '40	95⅜	95⅜
Inland Steel 4½s B '81	78	78
Inter Hydro El 6s '44	47	46
Inter Match 5s cv rcts '41	60	59¾
Inter Match Corp 5s '47	56	55¾
Inter Rap Tran rfg 5s '66	50	49¾
Inter Rap Tran 5s sta '66	50	49½
Inter Rap Trans 6s '32	37½	36½
Inter Rap Trans 7s '32	71	70¼
Int Cement Corp 5s '48	63	63
Int & G Nor 5s B '56	41½	41½
Int & G Nor 1st 5s '52	48¾	48¾
Int & G Nor adj 6s '52	17	17
Int Paper rfg 5s A '47	48	47
Int Paper 6s '55	29	29
Int Tel & Tel 4½s '52	43½	43½
Int Tel & Tel 4½s cv '39	47	47
Int Tel & Tel 5s '55	46	45
Kan City Ft&Mem 4s '36	61	61
Kan City P & L 4½s '61	92	92
Kan City P & L 4½s 'B	92¼	92¼
Kan City So rfg 5s '50	65½	65½
Kan City Term 1st 4s '60	82½	80½
Kan Gas & Elec 4½s '80	76	76
Kresge Foundation 6s '36	85½	85½
Laclede Gas 5½s '53 C	70	70
Lake Shore & MS 3½s '97	70½	70½
L'Autaro 6s '54	11⅞	11⅞
Lehigh Val (Pa) con 4s 2003	56½	56½
Loew's Inc 6s '41	84	83¾
Louis Arkansas 5s '69	43¼	43
Louis Gas & Elec rfg 5s '52	93	92¼
L&N unf 4s '40	80	79¼
Manati Sug 1st 7½s '42	4¾	4
Manhat Ry con 4s '90	35⅜	35
Market St Ry gold 7s '40	84½	84½
Metro Water 5½s '50	43	42¾
Midvale Steel col 5s '36	93¼	93¼
Mil El Ry & Lt 1st 5s '61	88½	88½
Min StP & SSM 4s '38	40	40
Min StP & SSM 5½s '78	56¼	55¾
Mo K & T pl 4s B '62	66¾	66¾
Mo K & T pl 5s A '62	75½	75½
Mo Ill 5s	40	40
Mo Pacific gen 4s '75	34	33½
Mo Pacific rfg 5s A '65	55	54⅞
Mo Pacific 5s F '77	52	51¾
Mo Pacific 5s G '78	51¾	51¼
Mo Pacific 5s H '80	51¾	51½
Mo Pac 5s I '81	51¾	51¾
Mo Pacific 5½s '49	37⅞	36
Montana Power rfg 5s '43	89¾	89¾
Montreal Tram col 5s '41	78½	78½
Morris & Essex 4½s '55	74½	74½
Murray Body 6½s '34	83	83
Nassau Elec con 4s '51	16¾	16¾
Nat Dairy Prod 5½s '48	89	88¾
Nat Steel 5s	73	73
Newberry 5½s	78	78
New Eng T&T 5s '52	98¾	98¾
N O Pub Ser 5s A '52	73	73
N O Pub Ser 5s '55 B	74	73¾
N O T & M 5½s '54	37	36½
NYC&HR deb 4s '34	85½	85¼
NYC&HR 4½s N	66¾	65½
NYC&HR rfg & im 5s 2013	66	65¾
NYC&HR rfg & im 5s 2013	72⅜	72
NYC&HR cv 6s '35	86	86
NYC L SL cou 3½s '96	67½	67½
NY Chi & StL 1st 4s '37	72	72
NY Chi & StL 4½s '78	32½	31½
NY Chi & StL 5½s '74	37	35½
NY Chi & StL 6s A '32	46½	45
NY Chi & StL 6s '78	33½	33
NY Edison 5s 1941 A	98	97½
NY GELH&P 5s '48	102	102
NY NH&H nc deb 4s '56	63	63
NY NH&H deb 4s '57	52¼	52¼
NY NH&H 4½s '67	68¼	68¼
NY NH&H cv 6s '48	88¼	88¼
NY Ont & W rfg 4s '92	48¼	47
NY Tel gen 4½s '39	97	96¾
NY Trap Rock 6s '48	66½	66½
NY W'chester & B 4½s '46	56	56
Niag Lock & O P 5s '55	86½	86½
Norf & W con 4s '96	84¾	84
Norf & W div 4s '44	90¼	89¾
North Am Co 5s '61	80¼	80
Nor Am Ed 5½s '53	83	82
Nor Ohio Tr & Lt 6s A '47	94¼	93½
Nor Pacific gen 3s 2047	59	59
Nor Pacific pr in 4s '97	77¼	77¼
Nor Pacific 5s 2047 D	74½	74½
Nor Pacific 6s B 2047	87	86½
Nor States Pow 5s A '41	99	99
Ore Short Line rfg 4s '29	73½	73½
Ore Wash RR & N 4s '61	72½	72½
Pac Gas & Elec 5s '42	94⅜	94⅜
Pac Tel & Tel 1st 5s '37	90	89½
Pac Tel & Tel 5s '52	96¾	96¾
Pan-Am Pet & T 6s '45	101⅛	101⅛
Pan-Am Pet & T 6s '40	13	13
Paramount Public 5½s '50	48	48
Penn Dixie Cement 6s '42	43½	43½
Penn Pow & Lt 4½s '81	83	83⅜
Penn Railroad 4½s D '70	68¼	67
Penn Railroad 4⅝s '63	74⅛	73½
Penn Railroad con 4½s '60	92	92
Penn Railroad 4½s D '81	71	71
Penn Railroad 5s '84	80	80
Penn Railroad gen 5s '68	86⅜	86⅜
Penn Railroad gold 6½s '36	97¾	99¼
Peoples Gas L&C (Chi) 6s '47	90	89½
Pere Marquette 4½s '80	45¾	45¾
Phil Balt & Wash 4s '43	89	89
Phillips Pet 5½s '39	50¾	50¾
Philadelphia Co 5s '67	84⅝	84½
Philadelphia Elec Co 4½s '67	93½	93½
Phil Railway 4s '37	19½	19½
Pitts CC&StL 5s A '70	88	88
Portland Gen Elec 4½s '60	58	58⅜
Postal Tel & Cable 5s '53	30	30
Radio-Keith ct p pd	100	100
Remington Arms sf 6s '37	85½	85½
Remington Rand 5½s '47 ww	40	40
Richfield Oil Co of Cal 6s '44	12¾	12¾
Rio G & W col 4s '49	50	50
Rock I Ar&Lou 4½s '34	55	55
St Louis IM&S 4s R&G div '33	76½	76
St Louis & SF 4s A '50	30	29¾
St Louis & SF 4½s '78	21½	20½
St Louis & SF 5s B '50	36½	36½
StLP Union Depot rfg 5s '72	91	91
San Ant & Ar P 1st 4s '43	74¾	74½
Seabd A L 6s ct	3⅝	3½
Shell Pipe 5s '52	72	72
Shell Union 5s '47	69	68½
Shell Union 5s ct ww '49	69¾	69
Sinclair Cn O col 6½s '38	81	81
Sinclair Cn O col 7s '37	84	84
Sinclair Cru O 5½s '38	95	95
Sinclair Pipe L sf 5s '42	92½	92½
Smith A O 6½s '33	101	101
Southern Pacific rfg 4s '55	78¼	77
Southern Pacific 4½s '68	67	67
Southern Pacific 4½s '81	64	63
Southern Pacific SF Ter 4s '50	77	77
Southern Ry gen 4s '56	48	47
Southern Ry gen 6s '56	58	57½
Southwest Bell Tel rfg 5s '54	97¾	97¾
Stand Oil NJ 5s '46	100⅜	100⅜
Stand Oil NY 4½s '51	88	87¾
Tenn Elec Power 6s '47	98	97
Texarkana 1st 5½s '50	70	70
Texas Corp 5s '44	76	75¾
Tex & Pac 5s B '77	62½	62½
Third Ave adj 5s '60	37¼	36½
Truax Traer Coal 6½s '43	22¾	22¾
Union El L & P 1st 5s '32	100⅝	100⅛
Union El L & P rfg 5s '33	100	99¾
Union El L & P 5½s '54	99¾	99¾
Union Pacific 1st 4s '47	87½	87½
Union Pacific 4½s '67	78	78
U S Rubber Co 5s '47	47¾	47¾
Utah Pow & Lt 5s '44	79½	78
Util Pow & Lt 5s '59 ww	41½	40½
Util Pow & Lt 5½s '47	44¾	44½
Virginia Ry 5s '62	87	86½
Wabash RR 5½s '75	15	15
Walworth 6½s '35 ww	21	21
Warner Bros Pict 6s '39	30	30
West Pa Pow 5s A '46	97½	97½
West Pa Pow 5s G '56	96¾	96¾
Western Electric 5s '44	92⅞	92⅝
Western Maryland 4s '52	56	56
Western Maryland 5½s '77	58	57
Western Union R E 4½s '50	74	74
Western Union 5s '51	68¾	68¾
Western Union 5s '60	63½	63½
Western Union 5s '60	63½	63½
White Eagle Oil 5½s '37 ww	97½	97½
White Sew Mach 6s '36 xw	9⅜	8½
Wilkesbarre & East 1st 5s '42	25¾	25¾
Wis Cen gen 1st 4s '49	32½	32½
Youngstown Sheet 5s A '78	69¾	69¾

LIBERTY BONDS

	High	Low	Last	Feb 9	Feb 8
3½s '47	94.14	94.14	94.14	94.11	
1st 4¼s '47 conv	98.13	98.6	98.13	98.11	
4th 4¼s '38	99.8	99.6	99.8	99.7	
US 3s '55	96.3	95.25	96.3	95.28	
US 3½s '49	87.2	86.29	87.	86.29	
US 3⅜s '43 Mar	92.8	92.8	92.8	92.7	
US 3⅜s '43 June	92.6	92.4	92.6	92.2	
US 3⅜s '47	90.30	90.30	90.30	90.30	
US 3¾s '56	92.23	92.10	92.16	92.14	
US 4s '54	96.16	96.15	96.15	96.15	
US 4¼s '52	100.10	100.8	100.8	100.3	

FOREIGN BONDS

Abitib P&P 5s '53	38⅜	38		
Antioquia 2nd 7s '57	11	11		
Argentine Gov 6s June '59	51½	51½		
Argentine Gov 6s Oct '59	51½	51½		
Argentine Gov 6s Sept '60	51½	51½		
Argentine Gov 6s May '61	51	51½		
Argentine Gov 6s '57 A	51¾	51¾		
Argentine Gov 6s '58 B	52	51½		
Australia 4½s '56	47	46¾		
Australia 5s '55	52¾	52¼		
Australia 5s '57	46¼	45½		
Austria (Gov) 7s '43	91¾	91		
Austria Hydro 6½s	38	38		
Austria (Upper) 6½s '57	33¾	33⅞		
Belgium (King) 6s '45	84	84		
Belgium (King) 6½s '49	87¼	87		
Belgium (King) 7s '55	94½	94⅜		
Belgium (King) 7s '56	95¼	94¾		
Berlin (City) 6s '58	25¾	25½		
Berlin (City) 6½s '50	27¾	27¾		
Berlin Elec 6½s '51	43½	43½		
Berlin Elec 6½s '59	39⅝	39⅝		
Berlin Elec 6s '55	30¾	30⅝		
Bolivia (Rep) 7s '69	6½	6½		
Bolivia (Rep) 8s '47	8	8		
Bordeaux (City) 6s '34	100⅜	100½		
Brazil 6½s '26-'57	18¼	18¼		
Brazil 6½s '27-'57	18¼	18		
Brisbane 5s '57	35	35		
Buenos Aires 6s '61 (Prov)	33¼	33		
Canada (Dom) 4s '60	71¾	71½		
Canada (Dom) 5s '52	88¼	87⅞		
Chile (Rep) 6s '60	11¼	11¼		
Chile (Rep) 6s Jan '61	14	14		
Chile (Rep) 6s '61	12	12		
Cologne (City) 6½s '50	28½	28½		
Colombia Mtg Bk 6½s '47	20	20		
Colombia Mtg Bk 7s '46	21	21		
Colombia Mtg Bk 7s '47	21½	21¼		
Colombia (Rep) 6s '61 Jan	23	23		
Colombia (Rep) 6s '61 Oct	24	23¼		
Copenhagen (City) 4½s '53	50¼	50¼		
Cordoba (City) 7s '57	23	23		
Cuba (Rep) 5½s '53	75¾	75¾		
Cuba (Rep) 5½s '45	35	35		
Czechoslovakia (Rep) 8s B '52	90	90		
Denmark (King) 4½s '62	57¾	57¾		
Denmark (King) 5½s '55	69	69		
Dominic (Rep) 5½s 2nd '40	40	40		
Duke Price Power 6s '66	74¾	74¾		
Estonia Bank 7s '67	32½	32½		
Fiat 7s '46 war	80	80		
Finland 5½s '58	45	45		
Finland (Rep) 6½s '56	44¾	44¾		
Framerican Dev 7½s '42	85	84¼		
French (Rep) 7s '49	112	111¾		
French (Rep) 7½s '41	112¾	112¾		
German 7s '49	61¾	61		
Germ Cen Ag Bk 6s '38	38½	38½		
Germ Cen Ag Bk 6s Oct '60	36½	36		
Germ Con Agr 6½s '58 rcts	33½	33½		
Germ Gen Elec 6s '48	46½	46½		
Germ Gen Elec 6½s '40	47½	46½		
Germ Gen Elec 7s '45	50	50		
Germ Gov Int 5½s '65	36¾	36⅝		
Graz 8s '54	36	36		
Greek 6s '68	36	35½		
Hamburg 6s '46	32	32		
Harpen 6s '49 ww	40	40		
Helsingfors 6½s '60	42	41⅝		
Hungary (King)s 7½s A'44	47⅜	47⅜		
Hungary Mun 7½s '45	20	20		
Ilseder Steel 6s '48	26½	26½		
Italian Pub Util 7s '52	69	69		
Italy (King) 7s '51	87½	87¼		
Jap (Con Pwr) 6½s '50	50½	50		
Jap (Con Pwr) 7s '44	57	57		
Jap (Im Gov) 5½s '65	65	65		
Jap (Im Gov) 6½s '54	73¾	76		
Kreuger & Toll 5s '59	56	55		
Lombard El 7s '52 ww	63	62		
Lyons (City) 6s '34	100⅝	100½		
Marseilles (City) 6s '34	100⅜	100½		
Mex 4s small A '04	2	2		
Milan (City) 6½s '52	65	65		
Minas Geraes 6½s '58	13½	13¾		
Montecatin 7s '37 xw	70½	70½		
Netherlands (King) 6s '72	103⅝	103½		
New South Wales 5s '57	44¾	44¾		
New South Wales 5s '58	44	43		
Nord Rys 6½s '50	98¼	98		
Norway (King) 5s '63	70½	70½		
Norway (King) 5½s '65	71¼	71¼		
Norwegian El 5½s '57	57	57		
Oriental Dev 5½s '58	54¼	54¼		
Oriental Dev Ltd 6s '53	59½	59⅝		
Panama (Rep) 5½s '53	90	90		
Paris-Lyons-Med Int ctf 7s '58	101⅝	101⅝		
Paris-Orleans 5½s '68	90¾	90¾		
Peru (Gov) 6s '60	6	6		
Peru (Gov) 7s '59	13½	13½		
Poland (Gov) 7s '47	52½	52½		
Poland (Gov) 8s '50	54¼	54		
Prussia 6s '52	30¼	30¼		
Rhine Westphalia 7s '50	51	51		
Rhine Westphalia 6s '55 ww	36⅝	36⅝		
Rhine Ruhr 6s '53	26	25½		
Rhinelbe 7s '46	34¼	34¼		
Rio G do Sul (State) 6s '68	9	9		
Rome (City) 6½s '52	68	68		
Roumania 1s '59	52	52		
Sao Paulo (State) 7s '40	59¼	59¼		
Sao Paulo (State) 8s '50	22	23		
Saxon Pub Wks 6½s '51	31½	31½		
Serbs Cro & Slov 7s '62	37	37		
Serbs Cro & Slov 8s '62	42	41		
Shinyetsu El Pw 6½s '52	45½	45½		
Silesia Bk 6s '47	26	26		
Silesia (Prov) 7s '58	39¾	38¾		
Swiss Government 5½s '46	102¾	102		
Taiwan Elec 5½s '71	90	90		
Toho Elec Pow 6s '53	98¼	98½		
Toho Elec Pow 7s '55	57½	56½		
Tokyo (City) 5½s '61	59	59		
Tokyo Elec Lt 6s '53	52¾	51		
Ujigawa El Pow 1st 7s '

TAX AND TARIFF REFORM SOUGHT BY DEMOCRATS

Have Eye on Them in Case of Victory, Declares Hull in Senate

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9—Following Mr. Alfred E. Smith's "declaration of availability" as a presidential candidate in the forthcoming campaign, Senator Cordell Hull (D.) of Tennessee delivered in the Senate yesterday what amounted to an outline of the prospective Democratic platform.

Using the proposed new British tariff as a stepping-off point for a general indictment of Republican policy, the senator declared his complete confidence in the ability of the Democratic Party to lead the country out of "post-war, political, economic and moral conditions."

Three major doctrines would underlie the Democratic program:

First, ruthless economies in federal, state and local expenditures.

Second, complete reform of taxation to equalize the burden and eliminate double taxation.

Third, inauguration of a sound economic policy of debt amortization in all branches of government.

Chief among the legislative reforms which would follow Democratic victory would have to be, he held, the wiping out of the "Bourbon isolation" tariff policy of the Republicans.

"It is clear," he declared, "that no more fatal blow could have been inflicted upon international commerce than the combined policy of tariff, trade and general isolation, which was largely written into the Fordney Act of 1922, and copied by most other commercial nations."

"I denounce this narrow and selfish spirit of economic nationalism," he continued, "as the greatest danger to world peace today. When each country uses every means to block each other's exports, peoples can neither sell nor buy each other's surpluses, so that both trade and purchasing power is dried up."

The world economic leadership, left vacant by the collapse of Great Britain as the banker of world commerce, can only be filled by coöperation, he said. The United States is not qualified by experience, information or financial machinery to take over this leadership as yet.

"International coöperative action is also pressing," he added, "to liberalize existing exchange restrictions and unshackle commerce between nations. Similar action is necessary to restore the international credit structure, if the present demoralized and utterly collapsed domestic business conditions are to be brought back to a level of balanced and permanent prosperity."

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A Word a Day

Notes and Queries

101, 128 (Mrs. S. C., who asks how these numbers should be read)—In the reading of routine reports bristling with figures, "one hundred one" and "one hundred twenty-eight" or "one twenty-eight" would serve quite well. The numbers, however, if properly spelled out in manuscript, would appear "one hundred and one" and "one hundred and twenty-eight." For formal public reading or announcement, usage inclines toward the spelled-out forms.

Italics in the Bible (Miss K. H.)—In modern usage italics are employed for emphasis or to set off a foreign word or phrase. In the Scriptures, however, words supplied by the translators to complete their concept of the sense are printed in italics. The matter of emphasis is not concerned.

Practice, practise (T. S.)—"Practice" is the noun, and is evidently preferred as the verb (at least, by the authority accepted by this newspaper).

Note: First choice in Webster's New International Dictionary is accepted as authority for pronunciation.—Ed.

Brevities

New Britain Herald: Those who blame Mr. Hoover for everything should at least give him credit for a mild winter.

Buffalo Evening News: What the world needs most is a paper napkin not afflicted with wanderlust.

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The only chop suey restaurant in Peiping, China, recently closed because of lack of American patronage?

A national hotel group now terms a room clerk a "reception secretary"?

The Children's Corner

Porgie and the Cream Bun

HIS real name was George, but everyone called him Porgie, because he was always eating.

"Georgie Porgie pudding and pie,"

the children used to sing when they saw him digging his fingers into a paper bag and stuffing his mouth with the contents. "Here comes Porgie, eating as usual!"

One Saturday afternoon Porgie's mother sent him out to buy a few things at the shops for her. Porgie had a penny of his own in his pocket in case he saw anything he would like to buy for himself, and when he came to the pastry cook's window he stopped to look at all the good things arranged so temptingly on the trays.

In the middle of the window were some lovely big cream buns. They were the biggest buns Porgie had ever seen. Their tops were covered with a powdering of fine sugar, and delicious looking cream oozed out from their sides.

Now Porgie was not hungry. He had only just finished his lunch, but the cream buns looked so inviting that he felt he must have one. So he went in and paid his penny, and was given the bun in a paper bag. He remembered a tool shed at the back of the school buildings where he could eat his bun in peace, and, finding the door standing invitingly open, he went in and sat down on a large, turned-up flower pot.

It was, indeed, a splendid bun. Porgie ate it carefully so as not to lose any of the cream, which had a way of rushing out unexpectedly. His mouth was full of bun and cream when he suddenly heard a footstep somewhere outside. He sat very still. He had no right to be in the tool shed at all, and if Potter, the Groundsman, found him there, he knew he would get into trouble.

The footsteps came closer. They sounded remarkably like Potter's slow and deliberate tread. Porgie hardly breathed. Then the door was pushed to from outside, and the key turned in the lock.

Porgie jumped up. "Hi!" he cried, but the steps were moving away, and Potter must already have been out of earshot, for he did not come back.

Porgie looked about him anxiously. It was dark in the shed now that the door was closed. The only light there was came through the cracks between the boards of which it was built. Porgie drummed with his knuckles against the door. "Let me out, let me out!" he cried. But there was no response. Potter had gone.

Tears welled up in Porgie's eyes, and ran down his cheeks. "Please, please let me out!" he sobbed. And then he sank down on the ground and gave himself up to misery.

Stump, stump. Potter was coming back! Stump, stump, stump; nearer and nearer came the heavy steps.

Porgie lifted his head. The steps had halted now, the key was turning in the lock, the door swung back, and there was Porgie, his face covered with tears and cream, a miserable, frightened little boy.

"Hello!" said Potter. "How did you get in here? And what's the matter with your face?"

Porgie hastily licked round his lips, and drew his hand across his wet cheeks.

Potter looked at him steadily for a whole minute, and there was a kind expression in his eyes.

"Look here," said Potter at last, "why do you let the boys go on calling your Porgie. It's not your right name, and if I were you I'd stop it."

Porgie sat very still. It was surprising to hear Potter talking like that.

"Why don't you make them call you George?" Potter asked.

"I can't," said Porgie.

"Of course you can," said Potter. "You know why they call you that." He picked up the paper bag with the name of the pastry cook printed clearly on the outside. "Look here," he went on, and began blowing into the bag until it was as fat as a balloon. "Now for it," said Potter, "when this bag goes off, that will be the end of Porgie!"

He gave the bag a bang with his fist. There was a loud report, so loud that Porgie jumped. Then Potter threw "the bits of torn paper into the air. And now, George, let's see to it that Porgie never comes back," he said. "Good by!"

"Good-by!" said George. "Thank you very much, Potter." And he ran off down the road, as happy as any boy in town.

The Adventures of Waddles

THE PUDDY TWINS SEEMED MUCH UPSET BY A STRANGE SWIMMER THEY HAD MET.
SAID NIP, "HE WAS NO SWAN OR DUCK" "HE DID NOT SING OR QUACK," SAID TUCK.
THE STRANGER CLEARED THE MYSTERY AND INTRODUCED HIMSELF. SAID HE,
"TO BIRD, TO QUADRUPED AND MAN I'M KNOWN AS MR. PELICAN."

Missing Word Puzzle

C	C	M	F	O	P	H	H	S
O	H	O	A	C	O	O	O	T
B	I	T	T	E	N	S	S	I
S	N	H	S	R	D	E	T	R

Reading downward, fill in letters to form words. By doing this correctly you will find, reading across the center, the name of a territory that is figuring very prominently in the news of today.

Key to Puzzle

Answer to Musical Terms Puzzle? Bar, scales, notes, staff.

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EDITORIALS

Debts, Tariffs, and Armaments

THE three most important politico-economic questions have developed an acuteness which calls for their immediate examination. Hitherto the world has been content to deal with them academically, or to postpone them to a more fitting season; and even now there is a tendency to declare that the time is not ripe for their solution. When will the time be ripe? Surely delay has already produced nearly the maximum of mischief.

The three questions are debts, tariffs and armaments. They are the root questions. There are many subsidiary subjects, but they are all commanded by debts, tariffs and armaments.

Two at least of these questions are to be brought to the conference table, though it is believed that they are not likely to be dealt with as comprehensively as could be wished. The matter of debts is two-sided. One side is called reparations, and the other side is the allied liability to the United States. Though there is no legal link between the allied credits on Germany and the American credits on the allies, it has become obvious that it is impossible to reach satisfactory conclusions on one set of debts without taking into account the other. For the release of Germany without an arrangement between the allies and America will merely have the effect of transferring the burden of payments from German to hardly more competent allied shoulders.

It is therefore a pity that, whatever conclusions may be reached, the possibility of a comprehensive consideration of international indebtedness has been ruled out by the decision of Congress. The allies are bound to give Germany a respite, but their own position will be left in doubt. There is general agreement that international indebtedness is largely responsible for the economic difficulties of the world.

Tariffs, regarded in their international aspect, are closely connected with this question of debts. They existed, of course, long before the present troubles, but they were increased and multiplied in an effort to stave off the consequences of international indebtedness. The payment of debts from country to country on a large scale can only be accomplished by an expansion of exports, and all countries, especially the creditor countries, have paradoxically endeavored to prevent the expansion of exports of their trade rivals, and have therefore rendered payments more difficult.

Yet while nations are ruining each other by demanding the payment of debts, and preventing the payment of debts by means of tariffs, they are spending vast sums of money on armaments that can have no possible result except that of irritating relations which are already sufficiently jeopardized by debts and tariffs. Precisely at the moment when clear-sighted statesmen and experts proclaim the necessity of international understanding, international coöperation, international unity, these questions of debts, tariffs, and armaments create misunderstanding, competition and disunity.

It will be observed that debts, tariffs and armaments cannot really be regarded as separate subjects. They are interconnected and act and react upon each other. It is perhaps a counsel of perfection to advise that they should all be discussed by one and the same conference of nations, but at least one may say that statesmen cannot deal with the question of debts without thinking of tariffs and armaments; and cannot think of armaments without thinking of tariffs and debts.

In 1927 a Geneva conference issued a warning against the growth of tariffs as inimical to the development of sound international policy and economics. Everybody applauded, but nothing was done. Now one section of the question of debts has come up for review, and sooner or later must bring the other section under review. Today a disarmament conference is in session, and it will undoubtedly be influenced by what may be done about reparations. It would be well to insist on the fundamental inseparability of these three questions. They are really parts of the single question—whether the world is to destroy itself by extreme nationalism, or save itself by an approach to internationalism.

"Quit Thinking Depression"

THE refusal of leaders in business and government generally to accept as inevitable the economic pressure of the last two years, and the widespread efforts of experts to find a solution of problems of supply and demand, are among the most hopeful signs of the times. Another promising indication is the tendency in many quarters to explore the situation far below surface evidences of idleness and lack and to find its causes in conditions that lie hidden from mere superficial and cursory observation.

A significant instance of this determination to deal with the problem by removing its fundamental causes and to wrest from the experiences of the deflation period the wisdom and understanding that will prevent their recurrence is seen in a letter sent recently by Mr. Horace Bowker, president of the American Agricultural Chemical Company, to his employees in seventeen states. The letter not only analyzes the effects of doubt and discouragement in increasing the difficulties of the situation, but by urging the workers to "quit thinking, talking and acting in terms of depression," and to regard their problems as "the finest kind of an opportunity" to show their courage, resourcefulness and faith in right activity, it sounds a progressive note that might profitably be taken up and echoed in industrial and business circles everywhere.

Although the letter reminded employees that "we can never 'ballyhoo' our way out of this depression, because it rests on too many serious maladjustments," it indicated how discouragement hinders the reconstructive processes by "too frequently resulting in inability to think clearly about present problems or to look into the future with any degree of hopefulness or confidence."

By directing atttention to what he termed the "mental" origin of the depression, and emphasizing the need for clear, effective reasoning, that will face "squarely and aggressively" the issue of low production costs, Mr. Bowker has issued a call for constructive thinking that might well be answered by every person, whether it be the head of business, the keeper of a small shop, or the housewife.

Tossing In the Brown Derby?

ONE of the chief political assets of former Governor Alfred E. Smith has been his ability to arouse enthusiasm. Those who attended his 1928 campaign rallies will remember them as lively if not noisy affairs. Such enthusiasm, however, seems strangely absent from the reception given by Democratic Party leaders in Washington to Mr. Smith's announcement of his receptiveness toward the presidential nomination. And yet, perhaps not so strangely, either, for Democratic members of Congress from the various quarters of the Union immediately picture an added vehemence given to the struggle back home over the selection or instruction of delegates.

Some of these spokesmen recall with what difficulty they, as drys in dry constituencies, labored to keep their footing on the wet plank which Mr. Smith four years ago added to the party platform, and they have no desire to repeat the performance. True, nearly all the aspirants thus far prominently mentioned to head the Democratic ticket are in varying degrees either wet, damp, humid or at least susceptible to moisture. But none, unless it be Gov. Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland, arouses the expectations of the liquor camp as being such a splashing wet standard bearer as Mr. Smith.

In fact, many will believe that the present development arises from the inability of the Smith-Raskob-Shouse faction to force Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt—thus far the leading contender for the nomination—into a position aggressively wet enough to suit them. Mr. Roosevelt tied a few strings to the amendment with which he proposes to displace the Eighteenth Amendment, but Mr. Smith is eager to dump the whole question back into the hands of the states, to be as wet as they wish or as dry as they can be under the circumstances.

If the Smith announcement is an effort to "stop Roosevelt," there is some question whether it can effect even that purpose. And there is serious question whether it can really put Mr. Smith into the running as a prospective nominee. The Roosevelt forces claim 678 delegates of the 770 necessary to nominate under the two-thirds majority rule. Political observers, surveying the Smith strength in Massachusetts, Illinois, New Jersey and elsewhere, estimate his support at not more than 200 delegates, or barely more than half enough to block a nomination, while 260 are pledged to favorite sons, including 22 for Governor Ritchie.

The Smith supporters may, of course, count on winning some of the favorite son delegations after the first few ballots. In any event, they believe their candidate offers a rallying center for anti-Roosevelt forces. But it is not impossible that the shadow of the brown derby may serve equally well in southern and western states to drive hitherto unattached Democrats into the Roosevelt fold.

However this may turn out, the contest will be no mild one. Southern newspapers such as the Louisville Courier-Journal consider the announcement unfortunate and conducive to brighter prospects for President Hoover. The Birmingham Age-Herald believes the tide of affairs has made Mr. Smith's availability highly questionable. Whether this sentiment extends to other sections of the country may soon be known in the results of the North Dakota preferential primary, where Governor Roosevelt first authorized his name to be used, and in that of New Hampshire, where former Smith men are the backbone of the Roosevelt support.

Is a Mouth Organ a Toy?

THE difficulty of defining simple things has often been remarked. And now the British Government is finding that political and intellectual resources which enable it to grapple with the problems of the trade balance leave it comparatively helpless when it is confronted with the dilemma of deciding whether or not a mouth organ may be classed as a toy.

Yet this is a matter which the Government cannot ignore. It will have to be decided, and soon. Meanwhile the British Government is taking the best expert advice available on the subject of harmonicas. One school of opinion holds that the likelihood of a mouth organ's being found in an orchestra playing a Beethoven symphony is so small as to be almost negligible, and that it therefore may fitly be classed as a toy. Another body of learned and instructed thought, however, asserts that it is treated as a musical instrument by Boy Scouts. Moreover, the harmonica was extensively used as a musical instrument during the war. Thus the problem is raised to the higher sphere of patriotism and gratitude. Is an instrument which "helped to win the war" to be regarded as a mere toy?

Nations faced with the necessity for making a difficult decision often gain help from the experience of other countries. This occasion is no exception. England may obtain light upon her problem by reading an advertisement in a New York paper, which declares the mouth organ to be "one of the most important factors in the guidance of the new generation toward a better all-round education." "To put a mouth organ into the hands of any person, young or old," continues this advertisement, "is to open another door to the finer things of life." Who, after this, would dare to describe the mouth organ as a mere toy?

A New Field for Research

DEVELOPMENT of Canadian industry through the help of chemistry has in recent years been receiving an increasing amount of study. The new Ottawa headquarters of the National Council of Industrial and Scientific Research is being equipped with laboratories to keep Canadian industry abreast of the times in natural science. The research staff has been drawn from among the ablest workers in Canadian universities, as well as from other sources at home and abroad.

Parliament has voted liberal appropriations for the national research laboratories. In recent sessions, however, some members have pointed out that the whole pursuit of industrial research has been devoted to the factor of production. It has been urged that equal thought should be given to the development of a well-thought-out plan to increase the purchasing power of consumers, so that the benefits of increased production can be better distributed and overproduction avoided. In the last Parliament, even before the disparity between productive capacity and the financial resources of consumers to buy more of the increased output had become so pronounced, members from western Canada urged that the Government should set up also a national council of economic and social research.

Research leaders in natural science are themselves, in numerous instances, advocating that the approach to this problem of distribution should be made along more systematic lines. The director of the division of chemistry, in the Research Council of Canada, Dr. G. S. Whitby, recently told of the notable progress made with the aid of industrial chemistry in the rubber industry. For example, he said, until a few years ago an automobile tire lasted only about 3000 miles. Chemical research has helped to extend the "life" of the tire to several times this mileage.

Very largely the problem of production has been solved in the modern industrial world. Industry's capacity to produce has been enormously increased. In most fields supply can meet any reasonable demand, whenever there is purchasing power to keep the increased output moving through the ordinary retail channels of trade. If some of the thought that has been given to the improvement of production could now be turned to the factor of consumption, there should surely be opened a way toward making supply more abundantly available for everyone.

Hats That Bloom Again

A WRITER in the Business Week recently illuminated a subject of wide interest, and pursued verbally the discarded hat through and beyond the dump into a new and useful existence. In a casual way, dumps explain the disappearance of old hats. The proverb is centuries old that "a hat is not made for one shower"; but the eventual retirement and replacement of his hat must be considered and carried out by every man of civilized habits.

Some do this of their own initiative and others by family compulsion. Always during shopping hours men are trying on hats before mirrors ingeniously arranged to permit front, back and side views. Sometimes the old hat is left, the responsibility of disposal being delegated to the polite salesman and the new hat worn proudly away. This may be called buying a new hat in the grand manner. Other men, making some laughing excuse, will direct the polite salesman to send the old hat after them.

Such old hats shilly and shally, but eventually they, too, go to the dump. An estimate of 2,000,000 dozen hats produced annually indicates the number annually discarded.

One now learns that many of these hats—about one-eighth of the total production of hats—presently reappear. It evidently has long been the custom of hatters to sell old hats, left with them in the grand manner, as material for new ones. Old hats are retrieved, graded for their so seemingly pathetic worth, packed in bales, delivered to factories, from which they will later emerge to serve mankind again. Worth a few cents apiece when harvested from the dump, they furnish material for hats that may be sold for a few dollars each.

These revelations, of course, need not disturb those who buy their new hats in the grand manner. Meditating upon them, however, one wonders at what point of desuetude an old hat is really worn out.

Editorial Notes

The latest luxury added to many coast-to-coast buses is a shower bath. Is it, however, actually something very new? Some pedestrians will seem to recall that buses and other motorcars have provided them with many a shower bath on rainy days.

Highways of blue, red, green, yellow and purple are proposed by road builders as easier on the eyes and less apt to appear dirty. It would appear that aviators soon will not be alone in riding the rainbows.

A paint company chemist has invented an emergency soap which does not require water. This is probably the soap for which small boys have so long been wishing.

Diary of an Onlooker in France

By SISLEY HUDDLESTON

IT HAS been my lot lately to wander through the diversified regions of France, and especially in the south was it again borne in on me that without Paris there would be no France. In the days of the Empire whose capital was Vienna, it was customary to speak of the northern countries as the Germanies. Germany, as a single nation, had not been born. So one might speak of the Frances, if it were not for Paris, which seems to concentrate them and give them a unity.

For there is nothing more dissimilar than the dissimilarity of the different regions of France. In Marseilles one palpably feels the Phœnician, the Greek, and the rest of the eastern Mediterranean influences. At Strasbourg one is frankly aware of the Teutonic element. In my own Province of Normandy it is impossible to mistake the Scandinavian origins. In Nice, which has been my headquarters, there is a preponderance of Italian ancestry.

The inhabitants of these and many other places have, one feels, very little in common except that their center is Paris. Paris plays a far greater part in French life than is, even now, generally imagined. It has become fashionable, among those whose acquaintance with France is superficial, to repeat complacently, as though they were uttering an original thought, that Paris is not France. They insist on the industrial and cultural independence of the provinces, but they do not draw the right deduction.

Of course Paris is not France in a purely geographical sense; but Paris is a compendium of France. Of course the habits of the provinces are distinct; but these very distinctions make it the more necessary to have a common denominator—and that common denominator is Paris. They keep their local customs and manners; they have their special characteristics and even their varieties of language. But they are French, and all equally French, because they are attached, and all equally attached, to Paris.

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Paris, we are sometimes told by political writers, must not be confounded with the rest of France. Paris is agitated, swayed by a thousand currents. Paris is the heart of events, the home of parliamentary life. The Paris press must not be taken to represent the French press; and articles from the provincial press are cited against articles of the Paris press.

I think this view is misleading. There are naturally plenty of regional journals which are adapted to their regional readers. They sometimes contain extremely valuable expressions of opinions. I used to read them systematically and, on my present French travels, have renewed an intimate acquaintance with some of them. But it is wrong to pit them against the Paris press. They are colored and fashioned by the Paris press.

Their leading contributors on political subjects are practically all Parisians—Parisians who may have kept some connection with the provinces, but who nevertheless have adopted Paris as the chief theater of their activities. In the remotest corners of France, it is the Parisian who speaks with authority.

There are districts where the note is Radical, and, perhaps, on the whole, the note is more generally Radical, especially in southern France, than Nationalist. That is doubtless because national politics are slightly fainter, seen in the distant prospect, and what seems important in Paris seems less important in the provinces. But there could be no greater mistake than to contrast the Radicalism of the provinces with the Nationalism of Paris. The Parisian newspapers are by no means wholly Nationalist. Of the "Big Five," only one can fairly be called Nationalist. At least two were completely Briandist—though with the decline of Briandism they are shifting their ground. The remaining two, if not neutral, are nondescript.

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Of the vast variety of smaller sheets which are commonly called journaux d'opinion, rather than journaux d'information, there are surely as many Radical as Nationalist. Indeed, without counting them, I should be inclined to say that the Radical organs are more numerous.

In Paris, one finds everything for every taste. So, in reading the provincial newspapers, I discover the same signatures, and virtually the same articles, as I should have discovered in Paris. It is Paris which strikes the key; and again I am persuaded that those who tell us to disregard Paris opinion and to turn for comfort to regional opinion are speaking without real knowledge.

It may, however, be objected that if Paris political thought is thus sent to the provinces, provincial political thought is likewise sent to Paris. Exactly. There is action and reaction; the deputies and the political writers who are in Paris have, for the most part, come from the provinces and—to stretch an image—still keep a foot in their own province. But the point is that all these provincial opinions go to make up Parisian opinion, just as all these provincials go to make up the Parisian population. Paris is a compound of them all. Paris sums up and gives back its summing up. The Paris influence is single, whereas the provincial influences are multiple, and no provincial opinion can lay claim to be more than partial.

In other words, Bordeaux is Bordeaux, and Lyons is Lyons, but Paris is, in a very special way, France.

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I was thinking of these things not for the first, nor for the hundredth, time as I journeyed southward, and as I traveled along the Mediterranean coast. The more independent of Paris a French city may pretend to be, the less is it truly French. It may be independent in some respects, but it cannot be independent administratively and politically. The prefect, who plays an extraordinary part in the départements, is appointed by Paris, and receives his instructions from the Government. As the elections draw nigh, his rôle takes on a new significance. It is his business, if he values his post, to arrange matters, so far as he can arrange them, in the interest of the powers that be at Paris. He may, of course, possess some subtlety, and may act in accordance with his anticipation of governmental changes. But to say this is only to emphasize his dependence, and the administrative dependence of each region, on Paris.

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The late Louis Loucheur, when we were discussing the downfall of a government, remarked to me that all French governments really fall, whatever might be the ostensible cause, on the question of prefects—that is to say, in the last resort, on the question of elections past, present, or future. This may be an exaggeration, but it is sufficiently true to make the occupancy of the Ministry of the Interior a matter of deep concern to the parties at all times, and especially so when the general elections are only two months away.

That is why Pierre Laval, who, as Prime Minister, acted as his own Minister of the Interior in the previous Cabinet, was assailed on all hands. The Radicals were ready to displace him if they could, for although M. Laval's antecedents are Radical, he has since worked with the Moderates, presumably in the interest of the Moderates. It is true that this consideration was discounted by a section of the Radicals, who argued that, if there are difficult days ahead for France, it would be better to let the Moderates bear the brunt of the blame, and therefore for the Radicals to remain in opposition until the elections are over.

On the other side, the Moderates were disposed to criticize M. Laval for neglecting his duties as Minister of the Interior at this crucial time, and for occupying himself far too much with foreign affairs. How could he, they ask, fulfill his functions if he went to Berlin, to London, to Washington, and if he proposed to go to Lausanne to deal with reparations, and to Geneva to deal with disarmament? Who, then, was at the Ministry of the Interior preparing for the elections?

These considerations were reinforced by the passing of André Maginot, War Minister, and the inability of Aristide Briand to continue in the post of Foreign Minister. There had to be profound changes in the Government, both for external and internal reasons.

Certainly foreign affairs have become critical, but the observer in France cannot overlook the fact that domestic affairs, in view of the forthcoming elections, are, from the French standpoint, no less critical. And whether one is on the shores of the Mediterranean, or on the banks of the Seine, the consciousness of these forthcoming elections, which may determine the policy of France and the future of Europe, is equally vivid. Even on the Coast of Pleasure, all French eyes are turned on Paris.

Notes From Copenhagen

Would Tax Loaned Books

MANY Danish authors are dissatisfied with the sale of their books, for, with the lending libraries and book clubs in city and country, there is a very small sale each year. Since last year, when Peter Freuchen forbade the loaning of his last book on Greenland from libraries or clubs, the agitation for state help on the question has gradually arisen, and there is a request before the Minister of Education for a tax to be placed on the latest books loaned, for a certain length of time, so that those desiring to read the book during that time must pay extra for the privilege. It is well known by librarians that the demand for a novel is usually from three to six months.

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Art And Advertising

In the arcade of the new Vesterport Building is an art exhibition, free to all who walk there. It is an excellent method of combining advertisement with education. Some very good works of art are to be seen. Among the ceramics are the "Hans and Grethe" children's service for the breakfast table; small stone figures, modeled by a Czechoslovakian; weaving from both the province and city schools and private workers, in beautiful designs. The furniture workers also have their share in "the permanent," as it is called, and ideas for rooms are shown in full detail for the new house or apartment, so that a home can be furnished completely in theory before the stores need be entered. The work of changing and arranging the exhibits is in the hands of competent artists, who see that the general effect of each department is interesting.

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Carlsberg Fund Votes Grants

The Carlsberg Fund, founded and endowed by the late Mr. J. C. Jacobsen, with capital rivaling that of the Swedish Nobel Institute, has voted grants aggregating 861,976 kronor—$220,000—in aid of natural scientific study, publications and research in 1932.

Among many substantial grants is one of $10,000 to the Society for Danish Language and Literature, for the publication of Hans Andersen's correspondence with his friends Edvard and Henriette Collin. A similar grant was made toward a new volume—the thirteenth—of the society's great Danish dictionary and a slightly smaller grant toward beginning the publication of a Diplomatarium Danicum.

Dr. Lauge Koch, the famous Greenland explorer, receives $8000 to assist in the publication of the results of his more recent explorations, and Prof. P. O. Pedersen gets $10,000 for the erection of two stations in Greenland for experiments in connection with the electric conditions of the atmosphere.

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In spite of apparent tightness in the financial world, the Municipal Board of Copenhagen is building 700 new dwellings for the citizens. The Common Dwelling Company has on hand 659 flats. The Workingmen's Building Association and the Coöperative Building Company together have 370 flats under erection, although the loans from the mortgage companies are given only at a high percentage.

Mirror of World Opinion

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The Greatest of These

DR. MICHAEL PUPIN, who has been recently honored by the highest award of the engineering profession in this country, is predicting a complete transformation of life as a result of the growing knowledge of electricity. Although people who look back to a time when anything electrical was a novelty may think that the world knows a good deal about it now, Dr. Pupin is not of that opinion. While admitting that electricity has already "revolutionized" the world, he describes what is now known about it as "meager." He explains that he has in mind the moving power which pervades everything everywhere, including the "distant pulsating spiral nebulæ many millions of light years away."

For the progress of science he has no concern as he observes its conquest of the material universe. What troubles him is "the tragic lack of development of human love."

To hatred, jealousies and prejudices, marks of that condition, he ascribes the sufferings of this world, declaring that while man's spiritual being is retarded he will be unable to enjoy to the full the fruits of material progress.

This view of the dependence of the material upon the spiritual comes from a physicist who has put the case better than the preachers do. Life here and now depends upon the victories of a force that has been called "the greatest thing in the world."—*Boston Globe.*